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Brownrigg Named Chief Of Justice Personnel

To Revise Deputy Marshal Setup; Hazen to War on Curbstone 'Bookies'

Warring Sentences Near

FIVE OF SEVEN MEN implicated in Warring jury fixing scandal may be sentenced today.—Page 3.

Brownrigg Appointed

Attorney General Murphy early today announced the appointment of William Brownrigg, head of the Michigan merit system, as director of the Justice Department's new division of personnel.

Brownrigg, he announced was selected from the top ranking three in the competitive list of the Civil Service Commission.

The new personnel chief will be directly responsible to the attorney general and will have charge of some 6,500 employes of the department, both those exempted and those under civil service, in the field as well as in Washington.

Major problem facing Brownrigg, who will assume office March 1, is that of revamping the setup regarding deputy marshals. Because of the scandal involving several deputies here in the Warring case, Attorney General Murphy has already declared that the deputies should be placed under civil service in order to lift the qualifications.

Curbstone Bookie Purge

Commissioner Melvin C. Hazen yesterday announced two stringent moves to wipe out the policy racket within the District. He proposed:

Placing of a specific regulation against playing "numbers" by police and calling offenders before the Police Trial Board.

"Purging" of curbstone bookmakers through an intensive police drive.

Washington's foremost crusader against the "numbers game," Commissioner Hazen said yesterday he would seek a specific ban in the police manual against playing the "numbers."

Discuss Issue Today

"Of course," he said, "the present rules forbid gambling among police officers, but they say nothing about numbers."

He indicated the new measure would be discussed today at a meeting of the Commissioners.

Hazen also said he would give orders today for police to launch an "arrest-them-all" campaign against street-corner "bookies." "It's a disgrace to the Nation's Capital to see bets made right out in the open," he asserted.

He pointed out that the police were doing a "splendid job" in rooting out the city's gambling places, but that flagrant violations by those he termed "curbstone bookies" is very much in evidence. "I intend to put a stop once and for all to bookmaking in the District," Hazen declared.

Stirred by Open Betting

The Commissioner was indignant over the open tactics of the corner bookmakers.

"Why in some instances little groups may be seen in front of the downtown office buildings poring over a race horse form sheet and bets are being placed with the bookmaker," he said. "We're after them now and we will be hereafter until they leave town.

Hazen also revealed that the police vice squad in the past week had arrested 15 persons, all of whom have been charged with gaming violations.

Pittman Calls 'Appeasement' of Fascists 'Immoral'

By the Associated Press.

Senator Pittman (Democrat), of Nevada, denouncing dictator states as intent on dominating the world, declared last night that Americans would die if necessary to preserve the thing they "consider worth more than life."

Ridiculing the British policy of appeasement and American isolationists, the chairman of the Senate Foreign Affairs Committee, in a radio speech, called for a firm stand in defense of American rights "throughout the universe."

"The policy of appeasement has not only been unsuccessful and ultimately destructive, but has been immoral," he said.

Barbour Introduces Antilynching Bill

Senator W. Warren Barbour (Republican), of New Jersey, yesterday introduced an antilynching bill similar to the Wagner-Van Nuys measure killed last session.

Melees Mark Huge Bund Rally; Heckler Beaten; Writer Ejected

Associated Press WIREPHOTO.

A mounted New York policeman struggles to wrench an American Flag from a demonstrator outside Madison Square Garden, where 20,000 German-American Bund members held a mass meeting last night. Dorothy Thompson (inset), New York columnist and critic of fascism, was escorted out by police. Heywood Broun, another anti-fascist columnist, went to her "rescue." Miss Thompson was permitted to return later

20,000 Jam Madison Square Garden As Throng Battles Police Outside; Dorothy Thompson's Jibes Irk Nazis

By the United Press.

New York, Feb. 20.—Violence inside and outside Madison Square Garden tonight featured an "Americanization" meeting of the German-American Bund during which thousands of demonstrators against the rally jammed several blocks in midtown Manhattan for six hours.

Inside the Garden a man made an attempt to rush Fritz Kuhn, national leader of the Bund, during his speech and was roughly handled by Bund troopers before police rescued him.

Miss Dorothy Thompson, columnist for The Washington Post and other newspapers, and wife of Novelist Sinclair Lewis, and a companion were ejected temporarily from the meetings.

1,745 Policemen on Duty

In the streets outside the huge auditorium more than 1,500 policemen had their hands full throughout the evening holding back throngs of anti-Nazis who sought to engage in mass picketing of the meeting. In all 1,745 policemen were on duty inside and outside the Garden.

Police were constantly on the alert to break up small groups which attempted to unite for picketing and mounted police formed a solid wall to hold back the crowds.

Impromtu speakers harangued the demonstrators on all sides.

Some 20,000 persons were inside the Garden to hear Kuhn and other speakers assail the Jews, Government policies and to urge a return of Americanism "to the Christians," as the Bund leader phrased it.

"Horst Wessel" and Sousa

The meeting was concluded by singing of the German Nazi song, "Horst Wessel," during which the audience gave the Nazi salute, and with three cheers for "Gentile Americanism." As the colors were retired the band played "Stars and Stripes Forever."

Trouble had been anticipated when the meeting broke up, but the police were prepared and the crowds

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Robert Drops Suit, Saying He's Cleared

$50,000 Slander Case Against Georgian Suddenly Withdrawn

By the Associated Press.

Albany, Ga., Feb. 20.—L. W. (Chip) Robert, jr., secretary of the National Democratic Committee, withdrew today a $50,000 slander suit against State Representative Delacey Allen, to whom the move was "a complete surprise." Allen said he had planned to file a counter suit against the engineer-party leader today but "this changes the situation."

Attorney John L. Westmoreland made no comment when he withdrew the action and paid the court costs. In a statement issued later from his Atlanta office Robert took the position his name had been cleared and the need for the suit removed.

Robert's statement said at the time the suit was filed last week "absence of facts in the matter" might have led to some public belief in charges that Robert and Company was being overpaid in receiving 6 per cent fees for work on the $5,000,000 State hospital expansion program at Milledgeville. But, the statement continued, "since that time the actual facts have been made public before the House Economy Committee . . . so that everyone sufficiently interested has been able to satisfy himself that there has been most certainly no irregularities whatsoever."

[The United Press reported that Gov. E. D. Rivers yesterday told the House Economy Committee that none of the Robert firm's fee was for any service other than engineering and architectural.

U.S. Judge Told To Reveal His Bank Accounts

Thomas, Questioned in Manton Case, Ordered To Disclose Records

By the Associated Press.

New York, Feb. 20.—U. S. District Court Judge John C. Knox today ordered Federal Judge Edwin S. Thomas, of Connecticut, to turn over to Federal authorities his bank accounts and other books of record dating from 1925 through 1932.

Judge Thomas had sought unsuccessfully to restrain John T. Cahill, special assistant to the United States Attorney General, from examining him immediately before a Federal grand jury investigating the judiciary.

After the adverse ruling by Judge Knox, before whom arguments were heard on a show cause order, Judge Thomas went before the grand jury. He had been subpenaed to testify in connection with an inquiry into business affairs of former Federal Judge Martin T. Manton, who resigned recently from the Circuit Court of Appeals.

Judge Thomas had been before the grand jury for two hours on Saturday, when his attorney, Leon Leighton, was sharply critical of Cahill's methods in dealing with the jurist.

Judge Thomas' petition challenged the good faith of the investigation

Leighton said Thomas' record was being unjustifiably "besmirched." He told Judge Knox Thomas had inherited a half million dollars from his second wife, and that Thomas had hesitated to make this known.

Leighton explained Thomas had made $300,000 through marginal accounts, with this inheritance as capital. Through delaying sales too long, Leighton said, the judge went "into the red" in his accounts with two banks when the depression struck.

'You Tellin' Me?' Said Tremblay to Mrs. Deckelbaum

"Mr. Tremblay, there's some one at the cash register," called Mrs. Mary Deckelbaum from her office at the Washington Supply Market, 500 K street northwest, last night. Replied William Tremblay, 46, of 511 Quarles street northeast, a clerk in the establishment of which Mrs. Deckelbaum is president:

"You telling me?"

The man at the cash register, Tremblay knew, was a colored robber. The colored man standing near him, he also knew, held a blue steel automatic.

Police said Mrs. Deckelbaum lost $300.

Jaywalkers Begin Lessons On How to Cross a Street

12 Special Policemen Aid in Enforcing New Pedestrian Law

The lady in the green suit stepped into the street and wedged her way between a moving bus and taxi. She sidestepped a bicycle messenger, neatly dodged a truck and bumped squarely into Police Capt. Harvey Callahan, standing on the opposite curb. He doffed his cap.

"Madam," he said, "I congratulate you. You made it alive, but perhaps the next time you won't be so lucky. You see, there's a law against that sort of thing now."

It was fortunate for the lady in green that she chose yesterday to disregard a red traffic light with a policeman in the offing. Had she waited until March 10 or after, Capt. Callahan might not have been so gallant—warnings will then give way to tickets and tickets will cost money.

Yesterday was the first day of a period during which Washington pedestrians will be "educated" in the dos and don'ts of pedestrian control laws.

And in most cases, they took kindly to their lessons. They

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Do's and Don'ts

Don't cross on a red signal light unless instructed to do so by a police officer.

Don't cross in the middle of blocks when a vehicle is approaching close enough to "constitute a hazard."

Don't disobey any direction of a policeman—who now has "full power to regulate and control traffic."

You have the right-of-way over right and left turning vehicles when crossing on a proper signal.

You may complete your crossing if a changing light catches you in the center of an intersection.

Wait for the full green light—don't start on the amber.

Obey all "walk" lights.

Conquests Upset Reich Trade Policy

Austria, Sudetenland Liabilities, Berlin Finds, as Export Balance Vanishes

Seizure of Austria and the Sudeten area has complicated, rather than helped, the Nazi foreign trade program, information compiled by the Commerce Department revealed yesterday.

In both instances, experts pointed out, the seised territories are highly industrialized. In consequence, the enlarged Germany is substantially overindustrialized, and must find foreign outlets for its manufactured products to keep its own people and those in the annexed areas employed.

Austria's Liability

The Nazi problem is intensified by the fact that textile, glass pottery and leather industries in the Sudeten area are in competition with similar industries in Germany.

Austria has become a virtual "white elephant." Since the anschluss in March, Germany has been running a trade deficit, due, trade authorities explained, to the fact that Austria has consistently had an adverse trade balance.

While Nazi territorial aggression has been "borrowing" new economic problems, however, outrages against racial and religious minorities have dried up foreign markets for German goods.

Adverse Trade Balance

Hence Germany had a trade deficit in 1938 of about $170,000,000 as contrasted with a surplus of about $180,000,000 in 1937.

In 1938, German imports totaled in value $2,470,000,000 as contrasted with $2,240,000,000 in 1937. Exports dropped, however, from $2,420,000,000 in 1937 to $2,300,000,000 in 1938. German territory, of course, was substantially larger in 1938.

Germany trade with the United States, although far below what it once was, is decidedly in this country's favor, despite the German barter system and the Nazi ban on export of capital.

In 1938, the United States sold Germany goods valued at $166,000,000 and bought from Germany goods valued at $61,000,000. For the three years ending with 1938, the balance in favor of this country totaled about $159,000,000.

Purchases Here Rise

German purchases in this country in 1938 showed substantial increases in lines which may be associated with armaments, such as scrap iron, airplane parts, trucks, lubricating oils and copper. Germany's lack of the latter commodity is one of her vulnerable points.

German goods have been swapped for American goods in a number of instances through outright barter deals. German cameras and optical and other goods have been given in exchange for copper, cotton and California fruits and nuts.

New York Safari Bags Mad 'Chimp' In 5th Ave. Jungle

By the Associated Press.

New York, Feb. 20.—A pistol-popping safari in view of 5,000 Fifth avenue strollers today bagged a 150-pound chimpanzee which wrecked a pet shop and bit two persons before she was killed.

Out of a welter of conflicting reports it was estimated that 30 shots were fired.

Henriette, the chimp bought last week from a Greenwich Village animal dealer to be exhibited at the New York World's Fair, announced her escape from a basement cage first by tapping on the shoulder of Amy Burke, a caretaker, who was busy with a letter file at the time.

Henriette then overturned fish bowls, spilling the occupants all over the place, upset animal cages and ripped out electric wires. Proprietor William (not Billy) Rose and Harry Freiling, agent for the A. S. P. C. A., who hurried to the scene with police, were bitten, respectively, on the leg and hand.

Traffic on Fifth avenue stalled.

Henriette scattered the puppies on display in the window and tried to jump through the glass into the crowd, which quickly retreated to the other side of the avenue.

The recent emigre from the Belgian Congo then growled at terrified rabbits, batted at canaries and cursing parrots and playfully tossed goldfish bowls at the walls.

Freiling fired the fatal shots after stray fusillades penetrated the ceiling of an adjoining picture frame store and terrified the employes.

House Army Bill Asks 50 Million for Prompt Building of 565 Planes

Proposal to Reach Floor Next Week; Would Lift Total Strength to 2,950

By Robert C. Albright.

Funds for immediate construction of 565 new combat planes—first actual appropriations under the President's new defense program—have been included in the 1940 War Department supply bill slated for House consideration next week.

Insertion of a $50,000,000 supplemental estimate in the regular Army appropriation bill will make it possible to commence construction under the new air defense program in the current fiscal year, it was learned last night.

Chairman Snyder, of the House War Department appropriation subcommittee, who disclosed no other details of the new supply bill, said he felt an immediate appropriation for additional planes will help to gear industry to the faster production pace anticipated in the new defense program. He said he indorsed the recent sale of bombing planes to France for the same reason.

5,500 Authorized

Although the $367,000,000 Army expansion bill passed last week by the House and now in a Senate committee "authorized" Army plane construction up to 5,500 planes in the next two years, no funds are provided in that measure.

Completion of the 1940 Army supply bill by the House subcommittee was disclosed as the House Rules Committee approved consideration in the House today of the new $53,800,000 Naval base program, including $5,000,000 for improvements at Guam, America's Pacific outpost.

Snyder said funds in the War Department appropriation bill will bring the Army's total plane strength, including aircraft on hand and on order, to about 2,950 first line fighting ships.

1,000 More Contemplated

"If world conditions call for it, it may be necessary later on this session to appropriate for construction of 1,000 more Army planes in the next year," Snyder said.

He explained that deficiency estimates, covering any needed War Department appropriations in addition to the regular supply bill's provisions, will be considered by the appropriations committee after the pending measure is enacted. The Budget Bureau is known to be considering additional estimates under present authorizations.

The 565 additional Army combat planes were asked in a $50,000,000 supplemental estimate submitted by the President on January 26. It is the first installment on the total $300,000,000 recommended for Army aircraft construction and would be made "immediately available in order to correct the present lag in

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Johnson, Forum Speaker, Urges Air Force to Protect U. S. on 'All Fronts'

Visualizing sudden "attack from the skies" striking the United States without warning as the first blow of a future war, Assistant Secretary of War Louis Johnson last night called for sufficient military planes "to protect our hemisphere on all fronts at any time."

The War Department official followed a parade of prior speakers attending the National Air Forum here in warning of foreign nations which are building huge air armadas "to terrorize and to attack peaceful neighbors," and in urging adequate national defense to meet these threats. Asking speedy enactment of the President's special defense program, Secretary Johnson said:

"Is there anyone in America so insulated against the shocking waves of the outside world that he does not see the wisdom of such a proposal? If so, let him review the history of Europe of the past six months.

"Is there anyone anywhere so naive in his understanding of the significance of the Munich pact that he does not realize the price paid by those nations which had neglected their air defense? If so, let him examine their present aviation programs. Is there anyone in our country so secure in his attitude of isolation that he does not realize that the wars of Europe and Asia may transfer themselves to the Western Hemisphere?"

Struggle for Power

Senator Truman (Democrat), of Missouri, told delegates from 80 national organizations represented at the Forum that the European situation today was simply the age-old struggle of peoples for power. He termed the pact to outlaw war, our "neutrality laws that won't work," and the United States naval disarmament example in 1922 a lot of "fol-de-rol that won't have any more effect on the course of events than trying to dam Niagara or change the course of Mars."

Tracing the history of the Germanic northern tribes of Europe overrunning the civilization of Italy and Greece, Senator Truman declared that today these same tribes have become civilized "but their instinct to increase and multiply and take what they want hasn't left them." Pleading that we must find some way to live "honorably and peaceably" in a much smaller world today, Truman asked if the world is heading for another Dark Age.

Defense Leads Discussion

"Japan, Italy, Germany all signed the pact to outlaw war," he said. "Does it do that? Japan invades and attempts to destroy China, bombs cities and hospitals and follows the precepts of Attila and Genghiz Khan. Italy does the same thing in Ethiopia. Now the German dictator is following the example set by Italy and Japan. Where will it end? Are we at the end of another enlightened age, as the Greeks were in 300 B. C., and the Romans were 600 years later?

"I hope not and I also hope we'll find a way to world peace. But until that time comes, I, for one, be-

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Takes Command of Army Air School

BRIG. GEN AUGUSTINE ROBINS,
recently on duty at Wright Field, Ohio, was ordered yesterday to take command of the Army Flying School at San Antonio, Tex., soon to train additional pilots under air-expansion program

Borrowing To Ease British Defense Taxes

$4,000,000,000 Loan Sought to Reduce Levy on Incomes

By the Associated Press.

London, Feb. 20.—Sir John Simon, chancellor of the exchequer, cheered the British taxpayer today by outlining to Commons a method of financing Britain's greatest peacetime rearmament program without boosting already steep income taxes.

The Commons even interpreted Sir John's explanation of increasing borrowing power for defense from $2,000,000,000 to $4,000,000,000 as indicating a possible decrease in the income tax rate.

Cost Set at Five Billions

During the first three years of the five-year rearmament program which began in 1937, the chancellor said the total cost would be $5,250,000,000.

The estimate of the five-year cost originally was $7,500,000,000, but was expected to be exceeded by a substantial amount.

While Sir John was discussing these sums, an announcement was made in the Commons of an Italian decision to send "30,000 more troops" to Italian Libya in North Africa.

R. A. Butler, undersecretary of foreign affairs, said Italy informed Lord Perth, British Ambassador to Rome, the move was taken to "provide for the security" of the North African territory which is adjacent to French-ruled Tunisia.

Sir John told the House $220,000,000 less than in the current year would be taken from revenue in the fiscal year beginning April 1 for defense.

Story of Ghouls' Raid on Tomb Of Washington Recalled Here

One hundred years ago, a Congressional committee, headed by Henry Clay, went by stage coach from the Capitol to Mount Vernon to transfer the body of George Washington from its first unpretentious resting place to a mausoleum considered more befitting the father of his country.

DUPUY

The statesmen were accompanied on that occasion—the last time Washington's face was seen—by a 13-year-old page boy, John Lane, later proprietor of a District book store.

John Lane died 20 years ago, but the story of that trip—the physical appearance of the face the boy saw, and the horror-struck amazement he shared with Clay and the others when they discovered that ghouls had opened the casket only shortly before them—was told yesterday by a District author and former Government official to whom Lane once had recounted it.

"Little Johnny Lane was standing around wistfully on the Capitol steps as the committee prepared to drive away. Henry Clay noticed the boy, jerked him up in the carriage and they were off for Mount Vernon," William A. DuPuy, of 2707 Adams Mill road northwest, explained.

"When the committee and Lane reached the tomb, they made the startling discovery that ghouls only shortly before had chopped open the leaden casket—apparently to get a look at Washington's face," he said.

"It couldn't have been more than a day before Lane told me as the alcohol with which the body had been embalmed had not yet evaporated, although there was quite a large aperture in the coffin. It appeared the ghouls had chopped a slit in the coffin top and then forced the metal back to form a larger opening."

DuPuy then described Washing-

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Three Go on Trial In Theft of U. S. Naval Secrets

Los Angeles, Feb. 20 (AP).—Accused of endangering the national safety of the United States by stealing confidential information from naval intelligence files, Mikhail Nicholas Gorin, Pacific Coast head of a Soviet travel bureau; his wife, Natasha, and Hafis Salich, Russian-born American citizen, who resigned from the Berkeley, Calif., police department to join the naval intelligence, went on trial in Federal Court today.

By stipulation, the trial is being conducted without a jury by Judge Ralph E. Jenney.

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Over the Coffee

By Harlan Miller

Dear Mr. President—

Well, sir, I was reading about George Washington, as I always do on his birthday, and you'd hardly believe it, but some Americans got tired even of him in his second term, and he never wanted to be President in the first place.

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FDR

... jobs and houses

It seems we Americans always get sorta restless about a President after his sixth year, sometimes after his second year. I wonder what we'd have done if we'd had Queen Victoria for 60-some years. Probably some Congressman would have tried to impeach her. Of course, she used up quite a few prime ministers.

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I'll bet it'll be a nice rest for you down at the Navy maneuvers, quiet and peaceful, listening to the big 16-inch guns instead of Senators and Congressmen.

A Navy gun will sound like a popgun to you after the shooting off of Senators Bridges and Nye.

"—by contrast, guns are quiet"

Speaking of guns, I was talking to the cowboy Congressman, Dick Kleberg, of Texas, the other day, and he opined that we Americans can be trusted with guns better than anybody else in the world.

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"We know how to handle 'em," he said, "without hurting ourselves or anybody else with 'em, so when guns are being passed around we ought to buy our share. Then maybe there won't be any shooting."

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It's too bad you didn't hear the House debate on the defense bill; I hope you read it in the Congressional Record. Anybody who was worried about the good sense and vigilance of the Representatives would be exhilarated to see how there was no demagoging about that particular bill. All the speakers realized that it's no time for fooling.

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But who knows what the Senators will say when they begin to debate? They're allowed more time to talk on and on, and when a man talks on and on (even a Senator) indefinitely, he's sure to get his feet wet before he runs dry.

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It's gotten around town that your sidekick, Harry Hopkins, is going to spring something pretty hot in his speech out in Iowa tomorrow. My dentist was saying he hopes since Harry got some practice with WPA jobs that now that he's turned businessman's friend, he'll do something about giving people real permanent jobs, making things that people can use, and buy, and sell, and cherish and feel proud of.

—"those men in the king row"

That's one place where lots of us common people who are too dumb to understand ideologies and noble experiments feel your boys have fallen down. There could have been a job drive in 1938 like the Liberty Loan drive of 1918. That, and the building of houses. Harry Hopkins once told me that his only WPA regret was that he didn't build scads of houses.

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It stiffens a man's spine to have a good house to live in, even if it'll take him 20 years to pay for it. And it keeps him from wandering around chasing pots of gold at the end of the rainbow. We Americans do an awful lot of senseless wandering around, don't we, when we'd be better off staying in one place.

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That's a great game of chess you and Jack Garner and Jim Farley are playing with candidates for 1940. That man back in the king row each of you is holding back looks a lot like you and Jack and Jim . . . Howard Brubaker had it summed up perfectly when he said that the Democrats, barring a third-term candidate, have no outstanding figure to run against the powerful candidate that the Republicans haven't got either.

Respectfully yours,

Harlan Miller

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Senate Group Opens Fight to Curtail TVA

Seeks to Stop Watts Bar Dam; Norris Accuses 'Power Trust'

By the Associated Press.

Advocates of Government economy renewed their attacks on Administration spending yesterday with a demand that the Senate withhold money for starting a new TVA dam.

The movement brought a charge from Senator Norris (Independent), of Nebraska, legislative father of the TVA, that "the power trust" was seeking to hamper TVA.

At issue was a $4,252,000 allotment for starting work on a new dam at Watts Bar on the Tennessee River. The item was part of a $17,206,000 TVA allocation approved by the Senate Appropriations Committee after it had been rejected in the House.

Moving to strike out the Watts Bar project, Senator Adams (Democrat), of Colorado, told the Senate the time had come "to make a start toward economy."

"I am not concerned about power development from the dam," Adams told the Senate, "but I am concerned about curtailing some of these vast Government expenditures—particularly those which can be postponed."

Norris, McKellar Defend

Norris and Senator McKellar (Democrat), of Tennessee, defended the project, contending that it was necessary to completion of the TVA program already laid down by Congress.

Citing that TVA recently has acquired big new power markets through the purchase of private utility properties, Norris contended the Government agency would be unable to meet demands for electricity unless the Watts Bar Dam were built.

Norris and McKellar argued that TVA workers who have been constructing other dams would be thrown out of work unless the new project were approved.

Senator Taft (Republican), of Ohio, replied that only 400 workers would be affected.

Taft opposed a $12,503,000 appropriation for continuing work on the TVA dam at Gilbertsville, Ky., saying it would flood 400,000 acres of rich farm land.

Senator Bridges (Republican), of New Hampshire, joined in the opposition to both dam appropriations. He said many citizens in the vicinity of Gilbertsville were against the project there, but Majority Leader Barkley (Democrat), of Kentucky, disputed this, saying he had received numerous communications in support of the dam.

The TVA appropriation is contained in the $1,800,000,000 independent offices appropriation bill.

Women's Party For Doris Stevens In Commission Row

Latin American diplomats and at least two Senators have joined the controversy, already involving President Roosevelt, over which of two women leaders hold—or should hold—the United States' place on the Inter-American Commission of Women.

The present situation finds Doris Stevens, who organized the commission ten years ago, still in that post. However, Mary Winslow was appointed to the commission by the President February 1. As there is only one position on the commission, a dilemma has developed.

The Women's Party, partisan of Miss Stevens, yesterday denied that any vacancy existed on the commission and urged the Pan American Union Board, which has the say in the matter, to retain Miss Stevens.

House D. C. Unit Votes To Name Span 'Sousa'

The House District Committee yesterday reported favorably a bill to name the new Pennsylvania avenue bridge over the Anacostia river for John Philip Sousa, "march king." The measure was passed by the Senate last week.

After an hour's executive session the committee postponed a decision on whether or not to grant a hearing to Dr. Carrie Weaver Smith, deposed superintendent of the National Training School for Girls.

In Congress

TODAY

By the United Press.

Senate

Continues debate on independent offices appropriation bill.

Committees—Finance (reciprocal taxation); Banking and Currency (Import-Export Bank and Commodity Credit Corporation bill); Territories and Insular Affairs (Philippine act); Interstate Commerce sub (truth in fabrics bill); Military Affairs (defense program); Commerce (general).

House

Debates naval air base bill.

Committees—Appropriations, executive; Interstate (transportation bill, R. V. Fletcher); World War Veterans (Gen. Hines); Military Affairs (strategic minerals); Agriculture (provisions for new farm bill; cost of production first); Merchant Marine, H. R. 3576, officers' competency certificates convention, 1936; Ways and Means (social security).

Senate

Recessed at 5:05 p. m. until noon Tuesday.

Received Bankhead bill providing for disposition of Government-owned cotton.

Received Barbour bill to create National Guard aviation units in each State.

Received Thomas (Okla.) bill placing moratorium on HOLC foreclosures.

Received Barbour antilynching bill.

Interstate Commerce sub-committee opened hearings on amendments to Schwartz wool products labeling bill.

House

Adjourned at 4:59 p. m. until 11 a. m. Tuesday.

Passed bills extending RFC to June 30, 1941, and increasing Disaster Loan Corporation capital.

Considered bill to extend operation of Commodity Credit Corporation and Export-Import Bank.

On Capitol Hill

Rep. Bland Seeks to Extend Power of Maritime Commission to All Marine Carriers

By the Associated Press.

Representative Bland (Democrat), of Virginia, chairman of the Merchant Marine Committee, proposed legislation yesterday to extend the rate-making power of the Maritime Commission to all common carriers by water in interstate commerce.

REP. BLAND

The measure, drafted as a substitute for the Lea bill, broadening the powers of the Interstate Commerce Commission, also would provide machinery for co-operation and co-ordination between the ICC and the Maritime Commission to develop commerce and national defense.

The bill would amend the shipping act of 1916 and the intercoastal shipping act of 1933.

Senator Borah (Republican), of Idaho, appeared yesterday on the Senate floor for the first time since his recent attack of influenza and the grippe. Consideration of the independent offices appropriation bill brought him there.

Secretary Morgenthau told Congressional friends recently that business, now in a normal "resting period," should pick up considerably in the next few months.

The Treasury head said during a conference on business conditions on Capitol Hill that business had been proceeding at a fast pace since last Decoration Day and that a slight period of reaction could be expected.

Morgenthau declined to discuss prospects of a curtailment in Federal spending at any specific time.

The House passed and sent to the Senate yesterday a bill to exempt all vessels of less than 200 gross tons from the terms of the international convention requiring competency certificates for officers of all seagoing vessels.

The convention, adopted at the International Labor Conference at Geneva in 1936, was ratified by the United States last year.

Government insured loans to aid in discharging tax claims against small homes would be provided in a bill introduced by Representative Robert W. Kean, Republican, of New Jersey.

"The bill," said Kean, "would make it possible for home-owners in arrears in taxes to borrow money from their local banks to pay back taxes and save their homes. At an interest rate of 4 per cent per annum, the tax-payer would have five years to pay off the loan. These loans would be insured through the FHA up to 80 per cent of the amount of the loan.

"In addition the measure would be a vital help to municipalities in enabling them to collect large sums in over-due taxes."

G. O. P. Calls Export Loans Perilous 'Tool'

Attack on Trade Bank Charges Circumvention Of Neutrality Law

House Republicans called on Congress yesterday to cut operations of the Export-Import Bank as "a dangerous tool" in the hands of President Roosevelt, but friends of the bank replied immediately.

The attack will be continued today when a minority effort will be made to limit, if not end, the bank's authorization, which terminates June 30, so as to prevent establishment of credits for purchase of war materials.

In the midst of the controversy Jesse H. Jones, chairman of the RFC, of which the bank is an adjunct, made public two letters, one to him from Secretary of State Hull, and the other from Jones himself to Representative Steagall (Democrat), of Alabama, chairman of the House Banking Committee. Both urged passage, without change, of the bill extending the bank's operations.

Chinese Loan Attacked

Denouncing the bank's major operation, a recent $25,000,000-credit to the Chinese-owned American Trading Co. backed by the Bank of China, for purchase of trucks and oil, as a step easily construed as "circumvention" of the neutrality act, Representative Wolcott (Republican), of Michigan, said:

"We passed the neutrality act and I believe the people of the United States do not want Congress to authorize any agency over which it has not control to destroy in any manner our neutrality with any nation by subterfuge. The people don't want the United States to take sides in any of these conflicts, although they may be sympathetic with one side or the other."

Wolcott spoke as chairman of the newly appointed House Republican policy committee designed to re-examine and, if held desirable, renewal of expiring special powers conferred by Congress on the President.

Needed to Fight Nazis

On the other hand, emphasizing need of the bank as some measure of matching facilities by which totalitarian governments are bidding for trade in Latin America, Secretary Hull wrote:

"Several features of the existing situation increase the necessity of having some such institution as the export-import bank to carry out these operations, among which I may mention the following:

"The existing unemployment and agricultural surpluses in this country;

"The widespread existence of various types of controls over trade and delays in payment for trade which create conditions unusually hard for the exporter or commercial banker to handle by himself;

"The virtual cessation of private capital investments to which other countries—especially the growing ones of Latin America—could ordinarily look for the credit facilities to carry them through their ordinary trade fluctuations and help to finance their development;

"And the fact that other governments are in many ways giving credit and financial assistance to their commerce and the complete lack of it would mean that American producers would lose substantial business available to them with some measure of credit assistance.

Jones Letter Is Report

"I, therefore, greatly hope that Congress will renew the charter of the bank without restricting too rigidly or narrowly the scope or nature of its operations, for I foresee that circumstances will bring before the bank many proposals of a long run, sound economic character of mutual benefit to ourselves and other countries, especially in connection with our trade relations with the other American republics."

The Jones letter to Steagall constituted a report on operations of the export-import bank since its creation.

Assuring Congress that "no part" of the recent $25,000,000 authorization to China "is to be used for the purchase of war materials," Jones' letter added:

"The bank's principal activity has been to aid in the exportation of agricultural and manufactured products."

Andrews Sees Trend Toward Annual Wages

Interprets Pay Law to Help Avoid Overtime In Seasonal Industries

By the Associated Press.

Wage-hour Administrator Elmer F. Andrews predicted yesterday that wider use of "guaranteed annual wage" contracts by seasonal industries might result from the fair labor standards act.

A guaranteed annual wage contract is one under which employes are paid on an annual or semi-annual basis. Under the wage-hour act such employes cannot be required to work more than 1,000 hours in six months or more than 2,000 hours in one year.

Andrews based his prediction on a formal memorandum prepared by Calvert Magruder, general counsel for the wage-hour division, interpreting two sections of the law. The memorandum was intended to serve, Magruder said, as a guide to the administrator unless the courts direct otherwise.

Would Avoid Overtime

Andrews indicated the guaranteed annual wage basis would become attractive to employers by giving them the right to step up production in emergencies without paying employes overtime.

He emphasized that the exemption from overtime payments, however, applied only to industries whose employes worked under union contracts calling for specific wages and working periods over long terms.

"Under collective bargaining agreements arrived at between a bona fide union and the employer," he said, "employees may be worked up to 12 hours a day and 56 hours a week without the payment of overtime."

Annual Wage Stressed

"It is apparent from the legislative history (of the section,") the memorandum said, "that by requiring the employe to be employed 'on an annual basis,' Congress intended that the employe be guaranteed either a fixed annual wage or annual employment.

"It was brought to the attention of Congress that an employer might, for example, guarantee his employes $30 a week for 52 weeks, or a fixed annual wage of $1,560 regardless of the number of hours an employe worked in any particular week.

"Thus an employe might work 52 hours in one week and but 16 in another, yet receive $30 for each week. This plan could not be continued in effect if the employer was required to pay time and a half the regular rate of pay for all hours worked in excess of 44 hours in the weeks that the employe worked 52 hours."

New Hope Seen By Dirksen for D. C. Income Tax

Representative Dirksen (Republican), of Illinois, yesterday expressed the opinion that a District income tax would at least have a fighting chance of passing the House this session as he condemned the income-sales tax proposal of Dr. Chester B. Pond, tax specialist, and the Citizens Advisory Committee on District Taxation.

Dirksen, as ranking minority member of the House Sub-committee on District revenue, will have a great deal to say about the drafting of the District revenue measure. For the last two years he has fought unsuccessfully for an income tax but has at the same time been effective in blocking a local sales tax.

"It seems to me that a majority of the House members, who voted for the President's reciprocal Federal-State income tax proposal would have to vote now for a District income tax if they are to be consistent," Dirksen said.

Court Attache Takes Holiday for Health

Charles E. Stewart, jr., assistant clerk of the District Court and son of Col. Charles E. Stewart, clerk, has gone to North Carolina for several months for his health, it was announced yesterday.

Col. Stewart said his son had been suffering bronchial trouble.

Iowa Politician Slips on Boom For Hopkins

Party Chief Rebuked; May Lose Fishery Job He Sought, as Result

It looks like no Federal job for the Democratic State chairman of Iowa and no Iowa delegates for Harry Hopkins, Secretary of Commerce, in 1940.

This appeared to be the picture last night as Secretary Hopkins departed for a four-day visit to his native State in the aftermath of a new political stir.

Edward Birmingham, party chairman in Iowa, started something when, according to word Sunday from Des Moines, he talked of lining up delegates to the next Democratic National convention for Hopkins and at the same time aired his hopes for the job as Director of the Bureau of Fisheries in Hopkins' department.

An aide to the Secretary of Commerce promptly telephoned Birmingham yesterday and gave him a dressing down, it was reported, particularly on his gastronomic and recreational anticipations with respect to the vacant fisheries post—"$9,000 a year, a nice boat and you know were the best fishing is." While Birmingham insisted he had not said just what he was quoted as saying, there were indications around the Commerce Department that the Iowa politician will not get the job.

Herring for Wallace

As for the Iowa delegates in 1940, whatever Birmingham may plan, the two Democratic Senators of the State made clear yesterday that Hopkins would not have the delegation, not if they still had any influence back home. Senator Herring told fellow Senators he did not see how the Commerce Secretary could get delegates or how anyone could tell what the delegates were going to do when they had not yet been selected. Herring added he did not know what Agriculture Secretary Wallace intended, but if that Cabinet member should be a candidate the Senator said he would support him.

Senator Gillette, who successfully weathered the efforts of Hopkins and other New Dealers to "purge" him in the Democratic primary last spring, could not believe that the Commerce Secretary was seeking delegates. "If true it is inopportune and premature," he said.

It was said that Senators Herring and Gillette are not out to quarrel with Secretary Hopkins; that in fact they have established amicable relations, but not to the extent of trying to make him President.

Gesture to Business

Hopkins' speech Friday, his first full-fledged declaration since he assumed office, was described by friends as certain to be a wholehearted bid for friendship and co-operation between Government and business.

Hopkins is expected to emphasize his earnest belief in the profit motive. He will propose, it was stated, no panaceas for swift improvement of business. But he will suggest general methods for co-operative effort and he will stress the objective of a greatly increased national income.

The speech is also described as likely to stress Hopkins' own contacts with businessmen and industry, in indirect reply to shots at him because of alleged shortcomings in his qualifications for the Commerce Department post.

Rabbi Yoelson, Rep. Doughton, McIntyre Better

Condition of Rabbi M. R. Yoelson, father of comedian Al Jolson, was reported improving yesterday at Georgetown Hospital, where he was admitted last week suffering from pneumonia.

Harry Jolson, another son, who flew to Washington from Hollywood, said his brother would come to Washington immediately if their father's condition took a turn for the worse.

Meanwhile, word was received at the White House yesterday that Marvin McIntyre, President Roosevelt's secretary, was considerably improved after a comfortable night at Naval Hospital, where he is recovering from an attack of influenza. Representative Doughton (Democrat), of North Carolina, also was reported improving at Naval Hospital after a mild attack of bronchitis.

Osterman Becomes Brigadier General

Col. Edward A. Ostermann yesterday was sworn in as a U. S. Marine Corps brigadier general and took over the duties of adjutant and inspector, succeeding Brig. Gen. C. B. Vogel.

Assistant head of the department since December, 1938, Ostermann's selection as chief by the selection board was approved by President Roosevelt last November.

For conspicuous gallantry in the capture of Fort Dipities, Haiti, the 56-year-old adjutant-inspector was awarded the Congressional Medal of Honor. Shortly thereafter, in 1915, he was wounded in Haiti. Ostermann also holds Cuban, Nicaraguan, Mexican and Haitian campaign medals, the Victory Medal, Marine Corps Expeditionary Medal, and the Haitian Distinguished Service Medal.

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House Extends RFC Lending, Keeps Electric Home Authority

Legislation extending the lending powers of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation and the life of the Electric Home and Farm Authority to June 30, 1941, was passed by the House yesterday.

Simultaneously Jesse H. Jones, chairman of RFC, forwarded to President Roosevelt and to Congress a summary of the Corporation's activities since its organization February 2, 1932, showing total authorizations of $13,206,639,907.

Of this amount $2,900,601,066 was by direction of Congress, in which the RFC directors had no discretion. Authorizations for which RFC directors were responsible aggregated $10,306,038,741, as follows: $2,293,658,866 was withdrawn or cancelled, $7,243,873,197 has been disbursed, and $5,272,565,029, or 74 per cent, was repaid. A total of $768,596,676 remains available to the borrowers or for the purposes for which the authorizations were made.

Minority Voted Down

The House approved the RFC and the Electric Home and Farm Authority on a voice vote following defeat of Republican attempts to abolish the Electric Home Authority. Representative Luce (Republican), of Massachusetts, offered the amendment. He asserted he wanted to obtain a test of Congressional sentiment to halt some of the Federal Government's activities.

Although the bill originally extended the corporation's powers to January 15, 1941, an amendment extended them to June 30, 1941. The House also turned down by 110 to 69, an amendment offered by Representative Wolcott (Republican), of Michigan, to divest the President of his powers to suspend RFC lending regardless of the views of RFC directors.

The bill also increases the capital of the Disaster Loan Corporation from $20,000,000 to $40,000,000 and authorizes the corporation to make flood or hurricane loans or other disasters in 1939 and 1940.

$16,784,521 for Catastrophes

The RFC reported that the Disaster Loan Corporation has authorized to date $16,784,521 for rehabilitation of property damaged by floods, earthquakes, or other catastrophes. Of this, $12,003,055 has been disbursed and $4,278,027 has been repaid.

"It is significant of the character and integrity of the American people that 80 per cent of these loans are current in their payments," Jones writes.

Farmers Big Beneficiaries

The Jones report stated that $1,799,984,009 had been disbursed for direct relief and $1,001,112,169 to other Government agencies.

Agriculture "in one way or another" has been accorded loan authorizations and allocations of $3,101,673,840.

Loans of $1,334,744,454 to 5,816 going banks were authorized but $196,378,317 was not used. The report said that 2,128 of the banks failed after receiving the loans "but 3,688 were enabled to continue, thereby saving millions of depositors and stockholders from loss and inconvenience."

Discussing the $90,000,000 loan to the Central Republic Bank & Trust Co., headed by former Vice President Charles G. Dawes, the report said repayments have been $62,383,207, the receiver has on hand $7,300,000 collected from stockholders' assessments, while the estimated value of the unliquidated collateral appears to be at least $15,000,000. It said these figures indicated the RFC loss will be in the neighborhood of $5,000,000.

Profits to Cover All Costs

From Chicago, meanwhile, the Associated Press reported that the Circuit Court of Appeals had upheld a Federal court order directing 3,500 stockholders of the bank to pay a $14,500,000 judgment to the RFC.

Loan commitments of $1,246,348,560 to railroads were reported, with a balance of $480,263,845 still due from 50 railroads, while 32 roads have paid in full.

Business enterprises have been given authorizations for 7,371 loans aggregating $447,324,578. Banks have agreed to take participations in 1,661 of the loans, in the amount of $61,492,756.

The report said the agency had paid $191,801,847 in interest to the Treasury, $24,507,637 in interest to others, and that operating expenses had been slightly less than 1 per cent.

"In addition to the foregoing," Jones said, "we have accumulated operating reserves sufficient in the opinion of our board to cover any and all probable losses.

"So that the vast amount of credit which has been made available through RFC and the services it has rendered throughout the country have been without any net loss to the Government."

$14,500,000 Judgment Affirmed

Chicago, Feb. 20 (AP).—An order directing 3,500 stockholders of the defunct Central Republic Bank & Trust Co. to pay a $14,500,000 judgment to the Reconstruction Finance Corporation was affirmed today by the United States Circuit Court of Appeals.

The decision upheld the 1936 decree of Federal Judge James H. Wilkerson, who ruled the defendants were liable for a 100 per cent assessment on their stock.

The judgment was granted to make up a deficiency in repayment of a $90,000,000 loan extended to the bank headed by Charles G. Dawes.

Edward R. Johnston, chief counsel for the stockholders, announced the case "still undoubtedly" be appealed to the United States Supreme Court.

The first $30,000,000 installment of the loan was turned over to the Central Bank on June 29, 1932, and the last installment of $50,000,000 on October 6, 1932. On the same day the Central Bank officials closed that institution and opened a new one, the City National Bank & Trust Co. The new bank, also headed by Gen. Dawes, took over the old bank's deposit liabilities.

Attorneys for the stockholders have contended the loan was illegal because the R. F. C. directors knew the $50,000,000 installment was to be used by the new bank and because Dawes had been chairman of the R. F. C. until June 15, 1932. The Appelate Court's decision said in part:

"As to the hasty and ill-advised action of the R. F. C. in lending such large sums of money without adequate security and without full investigation, all within a few hours and apparently without approval of the members of its board, we find no excuse or justification."

The Illinois bank stockholders liability laws were termed "very burdensome" and "seemingly unjust."

D. C. Organization Up Next Tuesday

The House sub-committee on District reorganization will hold its first meeting to prepare for hearings on the Griffenhagen report next Tuesday, Chairman Kennedy (Democrat), of Maryland, said yesterday after a conference with Representative Dirksen, of Illinois, ranking minority member.

A special committee of District officials, headed by Corporation Counsel Elwood H. Seal, is studying the Griffenhagen report, the Prettyman study, and the Brookings Institution proposals preparatory to drawing up a new administrative plan.

3 Floridians For Townsend Pension Plan

Sen. Andrews, 2 House Members Back It, But 'Insider' Opposes Idea

By the Associated Press.

The House Ways and Means Committee heard glowing indorsements of the Townsend old-age pension plan from three of Florida's Congressional delegation yesterday and a severe indictment of it from a man formerly allied with the movement.

Senator Andrews (Democrat), Florida, said Dr. Francis E. Townsend's plan for $200-a-month pensions to persons over 60 "may be the means of dispersing the ghost that haunts every man—the question 'What will happen to me when I can no longer earn my own living?'"

Representative Peterson (Democrat), Florida, said the Townsend plan not only would help the aged but also would put money in circulation and stimulate business.

Representative Cannon (Democrat), Florida, added that "We are not trying to legislate anyone into heaven," but that adoption of the Townsend plan would be justified because it would abolish the need of poorhouses, if for no other reason.

But George Highley, a Los Angeles insurance man, who said he formerly was president of a Townsend Club, told the committee he had become convinced it was just a "pipe dream" which wouldn't work.

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Senators Back Tax on State, U. S. Incomes

Securities Levy Put Aside; Finance Unit Orders Hearings

Reciprocal income taxation of Federal and State employes yesterday was recommended by a special Senate committee and hearings on the plan were immediately ordered by the Senate Finance Committee.

Undersecretary of the Treasury John W. Hanes will appear before the committee this morning to testify on the legislation, already approved by the House.

Senator Prentiss M. Brown (Democrat), of Michigan, chairman of the special Senate committee which yesterday recommended action, also was called before the finance group.

Securities Levy Abandoned

At least temporarily shunted aside was a recommendation by the President for reciprocal taxation of Federal and State securities. The securities tax proposal was considered by the House and Senator Brown said his special Senate committee will submit no recommendations at this time. Indications were that it would be abandoned at least for this session.

In approving that portion of the President's proposals applying the Federal income tax to State salaries, and State income taxes to Federal pay, Senator Brown said he considered constitutionality of this procedure a "close question."

"But it is desirable that Congress enact the legislation so we can get a clear-cut Supreme Court decision," Brown said.

"I want to say that we find a substantial ground for distinction between the right to tax a State salary and the right to tax the interest on State bonds. The effect on a State of taxing a salary is very slight while the effect on a bond is quite direct and substantial."

Senator Byrd (Democrat), of Virginia, one of the first to propose reciprocal taxation of both salaries and securities through a Constitutional amendment, said he would not oppose direct taxation of Federal-State salaries.

Amendment "Necessary"

But Byrd made clear he thought a Constitutional amendment was necessary for the Federal Government to tax interest on State bonds, and vice versa. He said he will introduce his old amendment for that purpose.

"As I see it," he said, "the Constitutional issue is not so much involved in the salary question."

Besides Byrd and Brown, other members of the special Senate committee voting for direct taxation of salaries were Miller, of Arkansas, and Logan, of Kentucky (Democrats), and Townsend, of Delaware (Republican). Sentaor Austin (Republican), of Vermont, is not expected to sign the report.

The Brown committee, set up by the Senate last year to study both questions, must report to the Senate by March 1. An extension may be asked by Brown to permit further study of security-tax proposals. Brown explained that the reciprocal salary tax proposal was approved ahead of schedule to enable the Senate Finance Committee to hold hearings on the House bill.

Stores Open Until 1 P.M. Tomorrow

Downtown retail stores will remain open here until 1 p. m. on Washington's Birthday Edward D. Shaw, secretary of the Merchants and Manufacturers Association announced yesterday.

The Washington coal merchants also will close Wednesday afternoon, he added.

D. C. Jaywalkers Learn New Law

Pedestrian

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laughed at themselves, laughed at others and toed the curbline with the first blast of a policeman's whistle.

Capt. Milton D. Smith, traffic division commander, assigned 12 additional "teachers" to busy downtown intersections.

"But they're just like a lot of sheep," remarked one policeman. "If one decides to stand on the curb and wait, they all do. But it's like follow the leader, if one starts against the red—they all go."

Alert Policeman

Perhaps the best example of regulation was at Thirteenth and F streets northwest, where Policeman John B. Singleton functioned with astounding results.

"He must have eyes in the back of his head," said a bystander, "you can't even step off the curb without him spotting you."

Singleton had a system all his own. If a jaywalker didn't heed his signal, he personally escorted the offender back to his starting point to "try it again."

Until Washington residents become acquainted with the new laws, Police Superintendent Ernest W. Brown has instructed his men to conduct their "classes" with courtesy and leniency. There will be no "hard-boiled" tactics, he says, and even after actual enforcement of the law begins, policemen will put protection above control.

Jaywalking after March 10 will cost anywhere from $1 to $300, according to the amended traffic act.

Speaker Made Life Member of Boys Republic

Speaker William Bankhead of the House is enrolled as a life member of the Boys' Republic by Roy Burleigh, left, president of the Senate of the Boys' Republic, and Jack Cardlin, right, speaker of organization. Both boys are of Washington, Va. (Other picture on Picture Page.)

Five May Learn Fate Today In Jury Scandal

Further Hearings Due This Week In Warring Case

At least five of the seven men implicated in the Warring jury fixing scandal may learn their fate from Justice Laws today, but continued hearings this week are likely to go deeper into corrupt conditions at the courthouse.

United States Marshal Colpoys, who announced Saturday he would begin combing his staff yesterday, and would dismiss numbers and handbook gamblers, operated in secrecy yesterday. Any more statements, Colpoys said, would have to come from the Department of Justice.

Justice Laws is expected to take final action regarding:

John B. Upperman, 57, who was dismissed as a deputy marshal last Monday when he pleaded guilty to two charges of taking liquor and money bribes from Emmitt Warring, head of a $2,000,000 a year numbers racket.

Warring Faces Four Charges

Emmitt Warring, 34, who pleaded guilty to four charges, including paying Upperman $100, sending Thomas Harrison Quinlan to sound out two prospective jurors and having Harry Fine offer Juror Carl T. Denekas $600 if the Warrings were acquitted.

Fine, who pleaded guilty to the charges ordered drafted by Justice Laws after Upperman and Warring told their stories.

Quinlan, who pleaded not guilty, and whose attorney has argued as a matter of law that what Quinlan did was too remote from the court to constitute contempt.

Denekas, who brooded nearly four days in the jury room before telling Upperman the story which through Denekas' insistence reached Justice Laws and thus broke open the whole scandal.

President Praises Brotherhood on Eve of Service Here

"I am particularly concerned at this time that spiritual and religious values in this country shall be maintained and strengthened," President Roosevelt has told the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, in expressing his regret at being unable to attend the eleventh annual corporate communion service for men and boys at Washington Cathedral at 8 a. m. tomorrow. Seven hundred are expected to attend.

The President, who is cruising in the Caribbean, declared:

"The work which the Brotherhood of St. Andrew has done in promoting these corporate communion celebrations and in helping young men and boys to develop genuine religious values in their own lives is entitled to every possible encouragement."

After the communion Associate Supreme Court Justice Owen J. Roberts will preside at a breakfast.

James L. Houghteling, president of the Brotherhood and United States Commissioner of Immigration, and H. Lawrence Choate, national treasurer of the organization, will speak.

Violence Marks Nazi Rally; Throngs Jam N. Y. 'Garden'

Bund

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had been pushed away from the immediate vicinity of the Garden, which fronts on Eighth avenue between Fourty-ninth and Fiftieth streets, being held as far away as Tenth avenue on the west and as far as Broadway on the east.

Those who attended the meeting filed out in good order and there were no disorders immediately outside the garden.

At least 13 persons were arrested, all for activities outside the Garden during the meeting except Isadore Greenbaum, of the Bronx, a sanitary engineer, who tried to rush Kuhn.

Greenbaum, who had his trousers torn off and was pummeled by the Bund troopers but did not appear to have been badly hurt, was charged with disorderly conduct as were the others.

"Fuehrer" Assails Brandeis

Kuhn, the last speaker, was assailing "the Brandeises, the Untermeyers" and "Jewish financiers" for getting America into the last war when Greenbaum suddenly leaped onto the speakers' platform and made a rush for the Bund leader, obviously bent on attacking him.

Husky, uniformed "storm troopers" grabbed him quickly and took several punches at him before policemen intervened and led Greenbaum away.

At the West Forty-seventh street police station Greenbaum said that he acted on impulse after being unable longer to hear the attacks on the Jews. He was not armed.

Laughs Irk Troopers

Miss Thompson, a bitter foe of Fascism, and her companion, Miss Ethel Moses, were escorted from the auditorium by police, after those near the columnist protested at her laughter during speeches. She convinced the police she was an accredited press representative and the two women returned to the hall, but did not remain until the end of the meeting.

Storm troopers attempted to block Miss Thompson off from other reporters after her return, but police broke up the cordon.

Miss Thompson had been admitted to the Garden by Police Commissioner Lewis J. Valentine, who detailed a sergeant to escort her to her seat. Shortly after she arrived, an uproar broke out in her vicinity.

Trooper Grabs Writer

"I was going to a Phi Beta Kappa meeting," Miss Thompson said, after she returned to the auditorium, "and dropped in on my way to see what was going on in my city."

"Two New York policemen seized me and then a husky storm trooper took hold of me and started to rush me out of the hall. When I explained to the policemen that I was an accredited member of the press they readmitted me."

Soon afterward Miss Thompson left and the meeting went on with an address by Kuhn, who was greeted with wild cheering and one cat call. The bulk of his speech was an attack on Jews.

Father Coughlin Cheered

In mentioning radio censorship, he referred to the recent controversy over the radio appearances of Father Charles E. Coughlin. The priest's name was cheered.

"The time will come," he said, "when no one will stand in our way. We are at least interesting the people."

Addressing the audience as "my fellow Christian Americans," J. Wheeler Hill, national secretary of the Bund and chairman of the meeting, charged that the United States was "utterly and completely disregarding the political testament of George Washington today."

The Rev. Sigmund G. Van Bosse, Philadelphia Lutheran minister, praised some American Senators, including Nye and Borah, for having warned us against entangling alliances in the current international situation.

Police Rehiring Passes

Reinstatement of two dismissed Metropolitan policemen, without back pay, is provided in a bill passed by the Senate yesterday upon recommendation of the Senate District Committee. The former policemen are Ralph S. Warner and David R. Thompson.

Bill Hits 'Shady' Co-operative Units

Regulation of co-operative consumer associations under special incorporation provisions is proposed in a bill introduced in the House yesterday by Representative Hull (Progressive), of Wisconsin.

Hull said the legislation was designed to protect investors from "shady" co-operative enterprizes.

3 D. C. Youths Honored By Mercersburg Class

Three Washington students have received senior class distinctions at Mercersburg Academy, it was announced yesterday. Thomas B. Baden has been elected class secretary, Robert L. Viner, a member of the memorial committee, and Frank W. McCullough, jr., has been chosen to deliver the presentation oration on class day.

Dodge Angrily Denies He Was 'Influenced' By Hines to Go Easy on Dutch Schultz Mob

By the Associated Press.

New York, Feb. 20.—Former District Attorney William C. Dodge, a defense witness in the second conspiracy trial of James J. Hines, today angrily denied prosecution testimony designed to show he was improperly influenced by the Tammany district leader to deal gently with the Dutch Schultz policy racket.

Hines has been accused by District Attorney Thomas E. Dewey, Dodge's successor, of having provided hired political protection to the Schultz syndicate, and of having "intimidated, influenced or bribed" Dodge and certain other public officials in that connection.

A major piece of State's evidence—provided by the late George Weinberg, a Schultz gangster, in Hines' first trial and read to the jury in the current trial after Weinberg's suicide—was to the effect that in 1932 Hines had introduced Weinberg to Dodge, saying:

"This is one of Dutch Schultz's boys. This is where we are getting our money for your campaign fund."

Lloyd Stryker, Hines' attorney, asked Dodge if such a thing had happened and the former district attorney shouted:

"I never saw this man Weinberg in my entire life. I never had heard of him. He was never introduced to me. I was never introduced to him, and never at any time was any money passed to Hines in my presence."

Dodge also categorically denied estimony of J. Richard (Dixie) Davis that Hines had interceded with Dodge when a grand jury began investigating the gang's activities.

Far from protecting Davis, Dodge said, he had caused grand jury examinations of the gang lawyer which led to a disbarment action against him.

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9 $10 Sweaters and Windbreakers, ½ price....$5
14 $10 All-wool Gabardine Sports Shirts, colors; ½ price....$5
23 $3 Sports Shirts, linen, mesh, lisle....$1.79

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$3.50 Finest Quality Pure Silk Neckwear, ½ price....$1.75
$5.00 Finest Quality Imported Silk Neckwear, ½ price....$2.50
$2.50 Fine Silk Neckwear, ½ price....$1.25

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$5, $6 Fine Quality Leather Gloves....$2.95

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$2.50 & $3 Special Group of Fine Quality Shirts, all sizes....$1.59
$3.50 Fancy Oxford and Madras Shirts, all sizes....$1.95

UNDERWEAR
$1.00 Pull-over Undershirts and Madras and Broadcloth Shorts, this sale only....59c, 2 for $1.10

PAJAMAS
$2.50, $3 Fine Quality Pajamas, Madras and Broadcloth. All sizes....$1.79

MUFFLERS ½ Price
$3.50 Imported Woolen Mufflers, half price....$1.75

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47 $7.50 Fine Quality Felt Hats; all sizes and colors....$3.95
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1 $45 Grey Sharkskin Tick Single Breasted, 37 short....$29.50
38 $45, $50, $55 Fine Worsted Suits, all sizes....$38
1 $60 Brown Single-Breasted Suit, size 43....$25
4 $55 Sports Suits, light tan and light grey; 37, 38 long, 39, 44....$38
2 $45 Grey Sharkskin Single-Breasted Suits, 42 stout....$25
57 $50, $55 Fine Worsted Suits, mostly shorts and longs; sizes 35 short up to 42 short; also longs....$38
34 $60 and $65 Finest Quality Men's Suits, broken sizes....$48
7 $60 Harris Tweed Suits, 3/44, 1/44 long, 4/46....$48
9 $50 Worsted Suits, 44 stout, 44 long, 46....$38
11 $50, $55, $60 Men's Fine Suits; 40 stout to 44 stout, $38 and $48

SPRING GABARDINE SUITS
32 Special Group of Fine Gabardine Suits in natural tan, single and double breasted drape models; all sizes....$38

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27 Special Group of Fine Spring Suits, greys and tans, single and double breasted models; all sizes; special....$38

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2 $65 Brown Camelhair Topcoats, 40 long, 42....$38
38 $65 Fine Camelhair Topcoats, practically all sizes....$56.50
1 $45 Covert Finger Tip Topcoat, 40....$25
4 $38.50 Tan Cavalry Twill Balmacaans, 35 to 42....$29.75

DRESS WEAR
4 $50 Single and Double Breasted Tuxedos, 35, 37, 39, 39 short....$39.75
1 $60 Fine Quality Full Dress Suit, 40 long....$39.75
1 $40 Single-Breasted Tuxedo Suit, 40 short....$32.75
1 $65 Fine Quality Full Dress Suit, 37 short....$44.75
21 $5, $6 Colored Cummerbunds, all sizes; ½ price....$2.50, $3
38 $10, $12.50 Black and White Dress Vests....$5.95

SUMMER SUITS
51 $27.50 CONGO AND TROPICAL SUMMER SUITS, all colors, white, tan, brown, blue, pastels, checks, stripes, solid colors; single and double breasted; mostly all sizes; regulars to 46, 37 to 44 longs, lots of shorts. Buy now for summer....$19.75
41 $12.75 Seersucker Suits, mostly all sizes....$8.95
3 $20 Navy Blue Linen Suits, 36 short, 38 short, 40 short..$14.75
34 Fine Irish Linen Suits, single and double breasted....$12.75
3 $22.50 Maroon Evening (Summer) Coats, 37, 39; ½ price, $11.25

SPORTS COATS and RIDING COAT
2 $40 Imported Black and White Check Sports Coats, size 42; ½ price....$20
1 $50 Brown Riding Coat and Covert Breeches, 40 short..$19.75
17 $25 Natural Tan Covert Sports Jackets, all sizes....$19.75
6 $7.50 Solid Color Sports Vests, tan, grey, green....$4.95

SUMMER TROUSERS
8 $10 Congo Summer Trousers, ½ price....$5
13 $10, $12.50 White Flannel and Gabardine Trousers....$8.95
11 $10, $12.50, $15 Stripe Flannel Trousers....$7.95, $9.95

$45, $50 WOMEN'S COATS—$25
2 $39.75 Women's Camelhair Topcoats, sizes 12, 18....$25
3 $45 West of England Covert Topcoats, 14, 16....$25
6 $50 Women's English Fleece Topcoats, all sizes....$25
34 $50 Women's Imported Harris Tweed Topcoats....$38.75
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German Press Aims Invective At Roosevelt

President Accused of Being Alarmist, With 'Critical Influence'

By the Associated Press.

Berlin, Feb. 20.—The German press leveled fresh attacks at President Roosevelt today and a correspondence service, Dienst Aus Deutschland, attributed to him a "critical influence" on the policies of Western powers.

The attacks were occasioned by reports the President might cut short a Caribbean cruise and return to Washington because of European storm clouds.

The Berlin newspaper, Nachtausgabe, in its headline, said the President was "seeing ghosts" and went on to assert he "again prophesies a war." Another Berlin paper, Lokal Anzeiger, commented, "He who sows the wind will reap a storm."

"Peace Disturber"

The outburst against the President was the most general and the most intensive since the first of February, when stories on his meeting with the Senate Military Affairs Committee appeared.

In general, the press pictured America as excited by the "new baiting by peace-disturber Roosevelt" and a "theatrical coup in Washington." Nachtausgabe asked if the President's "ceaseless war gossip" was intended to push Europe into war to aid the American arms industry.

The Berlin Boersenzeitung called President Roosevelt "a man who thoughtlessly seized all means to hold his tottering position and who systematically attempted to sow trouble in the world in order to assist the dark forces which support him."

Dienst Aus Deutschland said:

"It is noted in Berlin that this is not the first time there has come out of Washington to certain papers in London and Paris the cue for a press campaign against authoritarian states and aimed at defaming their policies at any price.

"In Germany this opportunity is used to show what a critical influence the aggressive policy of the American President exercises on the position of the western powers."

Lokal Anzeiger asked: "What may the President have in view with his new trick?" and then added: "He wants to weaken the opposition because it indicates that he and not the opposition has the right of decision in the foreign political situation. He wants to push his rearmament program still farther into the foreground.

Accused as Alarmist

"He would like—and this is the side of the affair which interests us—to alarm his allies in the world and to bring about a new unrest among nations."

Deutsche Diplomatische-Politische Korrespondenz, mouthpiece of the foreign office, said the impression was growing in the Wilhelmstrasse that "the present Administration in the United States has a conscious interest in maintaining or even increasing tension among European nations."

Washington Tomb Raid Is Recalled

Dupuy

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ton's face as seen by Lane.

"Only the tip of one cheek was out of the alcohol and the face was almost perfectly preserved, although little hair remained on his head. To the boy it seemed a huge bony countenance, and he recalled that it seemed pockmarked."

DuPuy said this is brought out as a matter of historical fact. An illness Washington contracted on a trip to the West Indies had left his face visibly pockmarked.

Another impression of the ageboy, substantiated by historical fact, was that Washington had contracted a glandular enlargement of the throat. This was quite perceptible Lane told DuPuy.

His Size Impressive

"But the thing that most impressed John was the physical size of Washington, as he judged when the body was placed in a new coffin. He told me he seemed at least 6 feet, 4 inches tall."

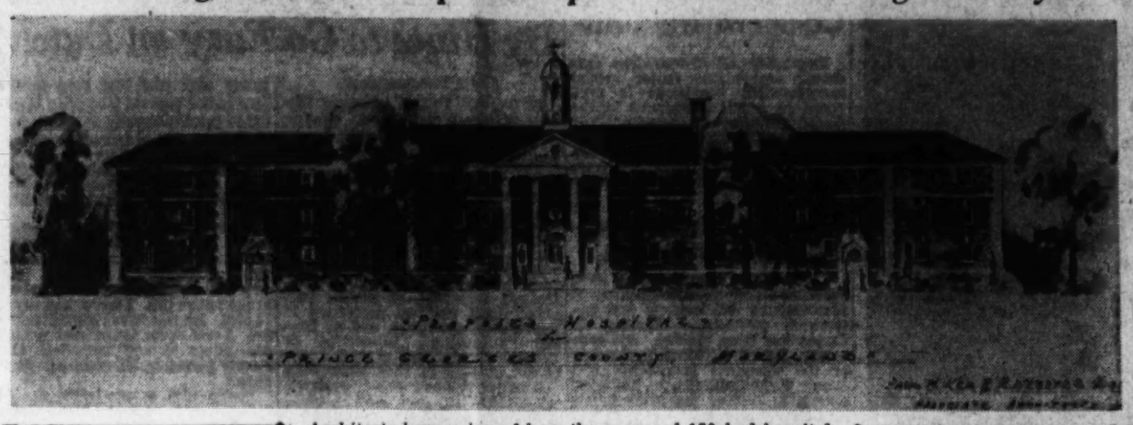
"Well, Washington was a large man, I'm told, so perhaps the impression wasn't totally due to the wonderment—and enlargement—in the eyes of a small boy," he concluded.

First Budget Deficit Reported by Czechs

Prague, Feb. 20 (AP).—Budget estimates for Bohemia and Moravia—the Czech parts of Czecho-Slovakia—today showed the first deficit in the history of the republic.

The deficit of 1,260,000,000 crowns ($43,092,000) was ascribed to cession of Sudentenland to Germany and the federalization of the state which resulted in a surplus of civil servants.

Drawing of 150-Bed Hospital Proposed for Prince Georges County



Architects impression of how the proposed 150-bed hospital will look in Prince Georges County. A joint committee from civic organizations in the county is planning means of financing the building, which will cost approximately $250,000 and will be built of brick, colonial style. Hospital will care for both white and colored patients, diet kitchen, operating and X-ray rooms

Army Bill Asks 50 Million for 565 Planes

Defense

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aircraft production due to idle plants." The appropriation covers radio equipment and armament for the pursuit, attack and bombing ships asked in the item.

1,800 Now Available

Although under present authorizations, the Army can build up to 4,150 ships when funds are provided, and the new Army expansion bill lifts the ceiling to 5,500 planes in two years, War Department officials estimate the Army's present strength in the air at only about 1,800 planes. Existing appropriations and orders would bring this total to 2,320, which will serve as a starting point for the new program.

Snyder said other provisions of his appropriation bill "will be in keeping with the national and world situation."

Forecasts Passage

"I believe Congress will accept it almost unanimously, without change," he said. "And I believe the people of the country, if they could vote on it, would ask much more for defense than we will recommend."

The $53,800,000 Navy base bill second leg of the President's program, received House right of way by unanimous vote of the House Rules Committee.

Six hours of debate on the measure will open in the House today under a rule providing "ample time" for argument on the only controversial item in the bill—$5,000,000 for harbor improvements at Guam.

Clearance for the measure was given by the Rules Committee after Chairman Vinson, of the Naval Affairs Committee, assured the group the Guam appropriation supplied "no entering wedge" that might lead to war.

"If I thought it would involve us in the Orient, I wouldn't be here advocating development of Guam," Vinson said.

Vote Due Tomorrow

Close on the heels of the Army expansion measure approved by the House last week, the bill, authorizing development of 11 naval air bases, will reach a final vote in the House tomorrow.

The Senate Military Affairs Committee meanwhile entered the second day of hearings on the $367,000,000 Army expansion program. Chairman Sheppard predicted final action late this week.

As the Senate committee wrote "finis" to its investigation of sale of American bombers to France, Senator Nye (Republican), of North Dakota, introduced a Senate bill that would prohibit future transactions of that character without specific approval by the War and Navy departments.

Would Make Policy Law

Nye said the legislation would write into law provisions of the Army-Navy "release policy" regulating inspection or sale of aircraft being developed for the United States military establishment.

He said the measure would forbid sale for export of aircraft, engines and accessories unless specifically "released" by the War and Navy departments, and prohibit flight demonstrations even after release for foreign sale.

Nye said there were no retroactive features that would apply to the French plane transactions because "they already have those secrets and there is nothing we can salvage there."

Nye Still "Suspicious"

But the North Dakota Senator said he did not concur in the indorsement given the French plane sale by Senator Austin (Republican), of Vermont, and declared he still regards the sale as "unusual to the point of inviting a continuing suspicion."

Goal of 10,000 War Planes Urged by Gen. Andrews

Calls 5,500 Ship Program Proposed by President 'About Right as an Initial Step'

An ultimate goal of 10,000 military planes was urged yesterday by Maj. Gen. Frank M. Andrews, commander of the General Headquarters Air Force, in joining several hundred other aviation leaders attending the National Air Forum in advocating increased national defense.

"The 5,500 airplane program proposed by the President is about right as an initial step eventually to give the United States adequate air protection," Gen. Andrews said. "It is all we should tackle now, but the program should be carried through to give the Army at least 500 long-range bombers. This would mean an air force of about 10,000 planes."

Col. Edgar S. Gorrell, president of the Air Transport Association, and former chief of staff of the A. E. F. air force, said the "great potential weakness" of the whole program lies in the need for increased funds for weather observations to give the air force mobility.

$1,000,000 for Weather Data

"The air fleet we plan to build is like the Navy in that it must operate as a unit and go to either ocean in an emergency," Gorrell declared. "The Navy depends on the Panama Canal, while the air force must depend on the airways. We do not have proper weather reports to determine which route to send the force in an emergency. We should have $1,000,000 more to round out the program in this manner."

Commercial inroads made by totalitarian nations in South America must be combated with Government aid, Col. Gorrell declared.

"German trade penetration becomes political penetration," he stated. "Nazi planes and pilots are sent to South America and become a serious threat to the Panama Canal. We must have additional military planes—the President's program is a splendid start—and increased South American mail schedules."

"Italy, which was planning to open South American flights when she started the Ethiopian war is now ready. So is Great Britain. Germany and France already maintain schedules. Within a short time there will be daily service or better with Europe, and our Pan American maintains only two trips a week. Latin businessmen will turn to Europe unless we provide like transport service."

Col. John H. Jouett, a former aviation adviser to the Chinese government, now president of the Aeronautical Chamber of Commerce, said "a new Chinese air force" would enter the Sino-Japanese war this spring. Col. Jouett said that he has information that the Chinese are carrying on an extensive aviation training program "somewhere in the interior" and that flying Russian planes, the force would play an important part in a renewal of fighting in the spring.

Col. Jouett stated that the war in China was not over and its ultimate outcome "will depend upon the resistance to the Japanese in the occupied areas." If they do not capitulate commercially, he declared, China will ultimately win the war. A believer in "air power" as a decisive weapon in war, Jouett contended that Japanese bombing of cities had had little effect on the war because "the Chinese temperament is accustomed to floods and other disasters." Bombing of American and European populations would have much greater effect, he said.

Andrews to Remain Active

Gen. Andrews said he plans to remain in active Army service when he is relieved as G. H. Q. Air Force commander, March 1. It had been expected that he would apply for retirement as he must revert to his permanent rank of colonel on that date.

The organizer and first commander of the Army combat air force, said that he looked for a bombing plane in "the not too remote future" capable of flying across the Atlantic with a full load of bombs and returning to a European base. While at present this is not possible from Cape Verde or Canary Islands, he declared, planes can now bomb South America from African bases.

U. S. Files Suit Asking $1,053,474 Of Tire Firms

New York, Feb. 20 (AP).—The Federal Government filed suit today against 18 automobile tire manufacturers for $1,053,474 in a complaint charging violation of the Sherman anti-trust law.

The companies were accused of conspiring to fix tire prices. The amount demanded in the suit is three times what the Government contended it had lost in tire purchases.

Defendants named were Cooper Corporation, Dayton Rubber Manufacturing Co., Dunlop Tire & Rubber Corporation, Falls Rubber Co., Firestone Tire & Rubber Co., Fisk Rubber Corporation, General Tire & Rubber Co., B. F. Goodrich Co., Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co., Kelly-Springfield Tire Co., Lee Tire & Rubber Co., Mohawk Rubber Co., Norwalk Tire & Rubber Co., Pennsylvania Rubber Co., F. G. Schenuit Rubber Co., Seiberling Rubber Co., United States Rubber Products, Inc., and United States Tire Dealers Corporation.

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Burglars escaped with more than $2,000 in money and property in a series of housebreakings Sunday and early yesterday, according to police reports.

Arthur E. Easterbrook, 3110 Forty-fourth street northwest, reported the largest loss. Clothing valued at $710, including a $500 fur coat, was stolen.

A diamond ring valued at $500 was stolen from a safe in the Argonne Apartments, 1629 Columbia road northwest, Clyde G. Brown, manager, reported.

Johnson Asks Enough Planes For All Fronts

Forum

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lieve in a policy of adequate preparedness by land, sea and air. We must meet a world situation, which we helped to bring about, by a realistic policy of preparedness."

While consideration of all phases of air problems is on the agenda of the two-day conference, national defense overshadowed all other matters. Maj. Gen. Henry H. Arnold, chief of Air Corps; Rear Admiral Arthur B. Cook, chief of the Naval Bureau of Aeronautics; members of Congress and leading figures in the aviation industry all stressed the need for adequate armament.

Urging that the United States not make the mistake of England and France in beginning to build an air force "too late," Gen. Arnold advised this country to "arm for air defense immediately."

The 5,500-plane program proposed by the President, the air corps head declared, will not give the United States as large a force as some others, but "will serve notice to all international trespassers not to encrouch upon our continental shores except at their own risk."

Urges Naval Air Bases

Gen. Arnold disagreed with many "air disciples" who see in the German triumph at Munich evidence that air power has revolutionized warfare and relegated the Army and Navy to the discard. "Armies and navies have now been joined by a new teammate, air forces," he declared. "The three now form a triumvirate for successful warfare."

Calling American naval aviation "the acknowledged leader of naval air forces of the world today," Admiral Cook declared that in its efforts to obtain this supremacy the Navy had almost ignored shore bases. Air bases are the vital need of the fleet today, he stated.

Urging provision for Army and Navy needs, he stated, "our people are thoroughly aware of the lawless forces which stalk the highways of the world today and, in their awareness, are determined that crises like that which shook Europe last September shall not find us lacking."

Backs G. O. P. Position

In the course of his address the naval air chief furnished ammunition to the Republican drive to spread the Army air increase over three or four years. He warned against acquiring great numbers of planes in a short time, lest they become obsolete and declared that a large procurement program should be preceded by a period of research and experimentation and a preliminary expansion of industry.

War Dictator Forecast

Representative Maas (Republican), of Minnesota, told the meeting there was more danger of a dictator taking control in the United States by neglect of National defense than by a war. Stating that "Congress would not last three weeks" in wartime because a necessary dictatorship would be set up, Maas declared this would end with the war.

Cabinet Plan Reports Link Franco to Axis

Fascist-Model State Believed Formulated; Truce Showdown Near

By the Associated Press.

Paris, Feb. 20.—A reported plan of Gen. Franco for a new Nationalist government for all Spain, with himself as dictatorial chief of state, was interpreted tonight by diplomats as foreshadowing close permanent relations with Germany and Italy.

Meanwhile, British-French peace negotiations at Burgos, snagged on Nationalist insistence the Republican government surrender unconditionally, approached a show-down in a conference scheduled for Wednesday.

Reports Franco had chosen his Fascist brother-in-law, Serrano Suner, as prospective premier came as Paris newspapers reproduced a message of "eternal gratitude" from Franco's foreign minister for the friendship of Germany, Italy, Portugal and Japan.

Fascists "True Friends"

The message was sent to a German periodical, Wille Und Macht.

Suner, at present Franco's minister of interior, is one of the outstanding leaders of the Spanish Fascist Falange and reputedly favors close ties with Italy and Germany.

In expressing gratitude to Germany, Italy, Portugal and Japan, Count Gomez Jordana, Franco's foreign minister, called them "National Spain's only true friends in her late hours of need."

Whether Franco had proposed the new government—eight ministers under Suner's nominal direction—as a permanent regime, was a question. Franco was said to have filled most of the posts on paper, according to reports reaching Rome, but installation might not take place until he could make all Spain his.

Cabinet Possibilities

The new cabinet, these reports said, will include Gomez Jordana and Raimundo Fernandez Cuesta, minister of agriculture, as ministers of state without portfolio.

Gen. Fidel Davila, now war minister, was said to be slated for the position of captain general and inspector general of the land, sea and air forces.

Gen. Antonio Aranda or Gen. Jose Moscardo, it was said, might replace him as war minister.

Other ministers, these reports said, may be as follows:

Navy, Admiral Baratch; justice, Count de Rodezno or another representative of the old Carlist Party; finance, a follower of Jose Maria Gil Robles, former minister of war and leader of popular agrarians; interior, a civilian appointee, aided by Col. Ungria, present head of the department of public order.

France and Britain were reported to have counted long on restoration of the Spanish monarchy as a means of increasing their influence on the new Spain.

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Capital Needs Symphony, Workers Told

Mme. Samaroff Fears 'National Disgrace;' Fund Reaches $65,000

Declaring a Washington without a symphony orchestra would be a "national disgrace," Olga Samaroff, pianist and music lecturer, yesterday urged ready support for the Capital's National Symphony Orchestra.

Here from New York for the express purpose of making her plea, Mme. Samaroff attended a Carlton Hotel meeting of workers engaged in the Symphony's $111,000 sustaining-fund campaign. There she heard campaign leaders report contributions totaling nearly $65,000, or 58 per cent of the goal.

"There isn't a country in Europe so small or so poor that it does not have a symphony orchestra in its capital," said Mme. Samaroff. "Is it thinkable then that the Capital of such a country as the United States should lack what such little cities have?

Community "Backbone"

"The symphony orchestra is the backbone of any community, and its existence means more than a series of concerts," Mme. Samaroff declared.

"It means the living presence of fine musicians in the community," she said. "They teach, they play singly and in small groups . . . Its conductor, particularly one of the type you are fortunate in having in Hans Kindler, brings the element of rich experience and real leadership into the picture. All this cannot be replaced by any radio broadcast, no matter how fine it may be."

Plans for an enlarged educational program to be carried out next year by the National Symphony if the current campaign is successful, were announced by Mrs. Henry Grattan Doyle, president of the board of education.

School Concerts Planned

The board, she said, has approved plans for concerts in several high schools. Ten concerts are included in the projected schedule in place of the four given this year.

Harold Brooks, member of the campaign's special gifts committee, who presided at the report meeting, announced that while pledges were a few thousand dollars short of the total on the corresponding day of last year's campaign the number of contributors was higher. The $65,000 pledged to the symphony represents the contributions of 1,565 donors.

The campaign is scheduled to close tomorrow, but campaign leaders intimated the drive would be extended if the $111,000 is not subscribed by that time.

Pattee Explains State Cultural Relations Bureau

Significance of the establishment of the newly created State Department division of cultural relations was explained last night by Dr. Richard F. Pattee, division assistant chief, who spoke at George Washington University under auspices of the Inter-American Center.

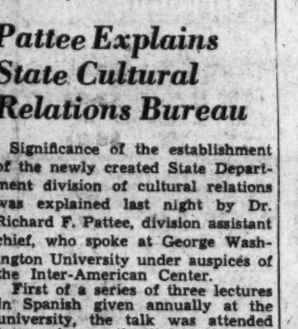
First of a series of three lectures in Spanish given annually at the university, the talk was attended by members of the diplomatic corps, of Instituto de las Espanas, comprising Spanish-speaking Washingtonians, and of the university's Spanish Club.

Chinese New Year Passes Quietly In Washington

One of the most subdued New Year's celebrations in the history of Washington's Chinatown was brought to a close early yesterday morning.

Private parties were the order of the day as Chinese residents dispensed with the pageantry of their annual parade, because of the heavy contributions made to aid China in its struggle with Japan.

Members of the community gathered at the headquarters of the On Leong Tong, 620 H street northwest, and danced to the music of a stringed Chinese orchestra, partook of Oriental delicacies and exploded a few firecrackers.



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Dr. Hans Kindler, director of the National Symphony Orchestra, gives a lesson in use of the baton to member of the drive to raise funds for the symphony. Committee members are (left to right), Mrs. L. Ourusoff, Anne Perrin, Mrs. S. P. Langhoff, jr., Mrs. John Howland and Helen Davis

Old C. & O. Lock to Be Reopened Tomorrow

The old Chesapeake & Ohio Canal will take a new lease on life tomorrow when the gates of Lock No. 1 swing open for the first time in 15 years to let the Navy Band float by on a canal boat towed by an old canal mule.

The occasion will be a Washington Birthday ceremony planned by the National Park Service to dedicate the new canal parkway area. Nearly five miles of the canal then will be opened as a historical and recreational area, the first section of a 22-mile parkway stretching from Georgetown to Seneca, Md.

The canal, completed in 1850, bore coal from Cumberland, lumber from Williams Point and farm products from around Edwards Ferry until floods in 1924 damaged locks beyond repair, had been a favorite project of George Washington's.

The dedication, which will be broadcast over a Nation-wide hookup, will begin with a dramatization in the Interior Department studios of the ground-breaking for the canal by President John Quincy Adams on July 4, 1828. "Mutt," the old mule acquired by the Government with the canal in 1938, then will tow the Navy Band through the lock. Sylvester Pennyfield and Charles Stewart, veteran canal employes, who will operate the lock, then will be interviewed on the air.

Oscar L. Chapman, Assistant Secretary of the Interior, and Frederic A. Delano, chairman of the National Park and Planning Commission, will speak.

The U. S. Navy Band will give a concert from 2 to 2:30 p. m., before the ceremonies directed by Assistant Leader Charles Brendler.

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Nelson B. Bell About the Showshops

Hold Your Horses, the Elephants Are Coming!

'Greatest Show on Earth' Here in Mid-May; One-Act Play Tournament Opens Tonight; News Notes and Gossip of the Theater

The Ringling Brothers-Barnum & Bailey Circus, the "greatest show on earth," did not disappear from the face of this terrestrial planet, as so many feared it would when labor difficulties compelled its withdrawal from the road last year. It will be flaunting its gay banners over these United States again this summer.

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As a matter of fact, the "big show" will be in Washington, as usual, on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, May 15, 16 and 17. Also as usual, it will arrive on Sunday, one day in advance of the public performances, and provide the always fascinating spectacle of how a small city in itself can be set up and put in smooth operation over night.

It is Mr. Melvin D. Hildreth, prominent Washington attorney and walking encyclopedia of circus lore, who calls up to advise this column that the Ringling show this year will present many innovations in both form and performance. Perhaps the most conspicuous novelty will be the introduction to America of a completely new type of circus tent. This requires a little going into.

American circuses, it seems, began by presenting their variegated entertainment in round tents. As patronage grew and the necessity for greater seating capacity arose, the tents were halved and spliced with middle strips to increase their length. The growing result has been that the "big tops" of the major ring-shows have become longer and longer and certain portions of the audience pushed farther and farther from the center of attraction, which always is the center of the tent, where the star acts are presented in the center rings. Now the Ringling Brothers-Barnum & Bailey executives have decided to experiment with the round tent, making all seats equi-distant from the center of the goings-on. This occasions a complete rearrangement of the rings and platforms.

Instead of stretching out in a straight line the length of the tent, the individual arenas this year also will be laid out in a compact circular formation, like the leaves of a shamrock, or a four-leaf clover, or something.

Furthermore, the interior of the tent is going to be a little more ornate than heretofore has been the case. It will be done in shades of blue, with a star-studded top that will give a unique effect at night, even if it happens to be raining outside. The business does not end there.

In place of the many quarter poles needed to support the elliptical "big tops," the new round tent will make possible the use of cables—after the manner of a cantilever bridge—to support the canvas and thus greatly improve both the presentation of acts and audience vision.

Seventy "Acting" Horses Added to Menagerie

And another thing. This year, the circus will feature 70 performing horses. Instead of being stabled in the usual stock tent, they will be incorporated in the menagerie, thus adding both size and interest to this introductory feature of every tanbark show.

And there are still more innovations. This new tent we have been talking about will be air-conditioned and kept at a temperature from 10 to 15 degrees cooler—instead of hotter—than the outside in warm weather. There also will be a ring of front-row boxes, encircling the arena.

It will be, in short, a radically different circus that will rear itself on the lot, come May 14. It ought to be worth seeing as a bit of a history-maker, if nothing else.

While the labor disputes that disrupted this show last year seem to have been amicably and finally settled, circus business, as a whole, still is in a bad way. The Ringling Brothers-Barnum & Bailey Circus will be the only railroad circus in the United States this year. Hagenback-Wallace, Sells-Floto, Barnes and all the rest have gone by the board and their properties auctioned off, so Mr. Hildreth tells me. As the lone survivor of a picturesque form of public amusement, the Ringling outfit is making a gallant gesture. It will require 90 cars to transport it from stand to stand. There still remain some motorized circuses that traipse around the country, but even they are operating in diminishing number. It is to be hoped that the circus will not be compelled to join vaudeville, "the road" and stock among the amusement Dodos.

The D'Oyly Carte Company Announces Repertoire

Since this seems to be a sort of "futuristic" column, there might be a reminder dropped in here that before the Ringling Circus gets here in May, the D'Oyly Carte Opera Company will have been here in April. Monday, April 3, is the date and the engagement will be for a single week.

I have it from that distinguished avant courier of the better things of the theater, Wallace Munro, that the D'Oyly Carte repertoire in Washington will be as follows: Monday, "Trial by Jury" and "Pirates of Penzance"; Tuesday, "The Gondoliers"; Wednesday matinee, "Iolanthe"; Wednesday night, "Patience"; Thursday, "Yeomen of the Guard"; Friday, "Cox and Box" and "H. M. S. Pinafore"; Saturday, matinee and night, "The Mikado."

In this array of Savoyard operas, the visiting Britishers offer the National Capital their best and most popular works. The opening of the box-office, of course, still is several weeks away, but I suspect that mail orders already are being filled—or will be as soon as this admirable repertory becomes known.

Signor Anthony Muto, ostensibly Washington manager for Fox Movietone News—who seems to have become a globe-trotter, instead—pretty postcards from Buenos Aires as follows: "Dear Nelson: You ought to taste an Argentine steak! Every butcher in Buenos Aires is an artist and there are no bad cooks." Signor Muto, it will be recalled, journeyed to South America with the American delegation to the Pan-American Conference, 'way back yonder. He seems, somehow, to have got himself hopelessly detached from the rest of the party. In the meantime, the Earl of Allvine continues to pinch hit for him from the offices in the Munsey Building. Incidentally, I have tasted some fair steaks right here in these United States.

"Pygmalion" Reserved Seats One Night Only

Since some confusion seems to have arisen in the public mind, perhaps it should be emphasized that only the Wednesday night premiere of "Pygmalion" in the Palace Theater, on March 1, is to be sold on a reserved seat basis. Following this one gala inaugural, the picturization of the famous George Bernard Shaw comedy will be offered as a regular screen attraction on the "all-day grind" policy.

It is further important to know that even with the seats reserved for the premiere, they will be sold at the regular scale of prices prevailing at the Palace. There will be no advance.

"Pygmalion," needless to say, is the celluloid refutation of all the arguments ever raised that Bernard Shaw—as he prefers to be called in the "movies"—is "over the heads" of the masses. We have contended here for weeks that "Pygmalion," as it was presented on the stage of the National Theater, with Mrs. Patrick Campbell starred, some 25 or 30 years ago, was a comedy calculated to appeal to the risibilities of any literate audience.

With Leslie Howard and Wendy Hiller in the costellar parts, the picture is reputed to perpetuate the luster of the original stage production.

Sponsored by the Community Center Department, Washington's thirteenth annual One-Act Play Tournament begins tonight in Roosevelt High School Auditorium, Thirteenth and Upshur streets northwest. Mrs. Elizabeth K. Peeples, director of the Community Center Department, announces that the tournament will continue for two weeks, with performances on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays and the finals set for Saturday, March 4. Three plays will open the tournament tonight—"A Wedding," by the Wilson Windjammers; "The Lean Years," by the National City Players, and "His First Date," entered by the Rock Creek Players. That will get you off to tonight's start. More later about the rest.

Sing-Birdies-Sing Note

Spring is here—with another Taft "flareback" probably scheduled for March!

Film Table

Loew's Capitol—"St. Louis Blues," at 11 a. m., 1:50, 4:40, 7:30 and 12:20 p. m. Stage shows at 12:45, 3:35, 6:25 and 9:15 p. m.

Earle—"Let Us Live," at 11 a. m., 1:35, 4:25, 7:15 and 10:05 p. m. Stage shows at 12:35, 3:25, 6:15 and 9:05 p. m.

RKO-Keith's—"Gunga Din," at 11:15 a. m., 1:15, 3:20, 5:25, 7:31 and 9:35 p. m.

Metropolitan—"King of the Underworld," at 11:40 a. m., 1:40, 3:45, 5:45, 7:45 and 9:50 p. m.

Columbia—"Honolulu," at 11:25 a. m., 1:30, 3:35, 5:40, 7:45 and 9:45 p. m.

Palace—"Idiot's Delight," at 11:55 a. m., 2:20, 4:45, 7:10 and 9:35 p. m.

Little Theater—"Ballerina," at 11 a. m., 12:45, 2:30, 4:15, 6:05, 7:50 and 9:35 p. m.

Trans-Lux—Newsreel and shorts at 10 and 11:45 a. m., 12:30, 1:45, 3, 4:15, 5:30, 6:45, 8, 9:15 and 10:45 p. m.

Belasco—"Dark Rapture," at 4:30 6:15, 8 and 9:50 p. m.

Tivoli—"Stand Up and Fight," at 1:25, 3:25, 5:30, 7:35 and 9:35 p. m.

Ambassador—"Let Us Live," at 1, 2:45, 4:30, 6:15, 8 and 9:50 p. m.

Uptown—"The Cowboy and the Lady," at 1:35, 3:40, 5:35, 7:40 and 9:45 p. m.

Mr. Topper Assembles Himself a Small Gaming Stake!

STARS OF FORTHCOMING SCREEN ATTRACTIONS

Above—Roland Young in one of the amusing scenes of "Mr. Topper Takes a Trip," a sequel to the original "Topper," opening on the screen at Loew's Capitol Theater on Friday. Mr. Young, in the title role, is supported by practically the entire original cast. Inset—Wendy Hiller and Leslie Howard, stars of "Pygmalion," opening with a reserved seat preview at Loew's Palace on Wednesday, March 1

In Hollywood

With Hedda Hopper

Hollywood, Calif., Feb. 20.—I loved the bouquets David Selznick and George Cuker handed each other when George gave his resignation on "Gone."

HEDDA HOPPER

Instead of saying things, David had gone on with the script, handing out scenes as he did, bit by bit. Naturally, a director of George's caliber, who only gets the trifling sum of $10,000 a week, can't run the risk of failure. And any director worth his salt must know in which direction he's going.

I understand the scenes he already did were wonderful, and little Vivien "Scarlet" Leigh is giving a grand performance in "Gone." She did a blushing scene with Clark, repeated it five times, with crimson coming through and showing up in Technicolor. Sure, you can all blush, but can you turn it on and off at will?

Magnin's new store opening held up traffic for 20 blocks. And quite right, too—it's a marvelous place. Even the trees were electrically lighted. Floral pieces stupendous. Hattie Carnegie, with whom they do about $5,000,000 worth of dress business a year, sent a basket of white stocks and tulips.

But "Seabiscuit," who wears his own clothes, sent a 6-foot horseshoe of gardenias and American Beauty roses—'cause he's just a friend of the family.

Laykin's display of real jewels, fine as any on Fifth avenue, brought a visitor's acclaim thus: "Gee whiz! I didn't know costume jewelry could ever look like that!" At which Laykin, having searched the world for them, fainted.

Walter Pidgeon did himself a lot of good when he attended that dinner given for the visiting newspapermen and their ladies. And so did the Lane sisters, Margaret Lindsay, Ann Shirley, Hubby John Payne, Jane Wyman, Eddie Norris and Ronnie Reagan. Among the visitors were the Kellys, he's head of the Pullman company in Chicago, and an old friend of Pidge's. And there was Byron Campbell, Pittsburgh Sun; Thomas Dewart, New York Sun; Hal O'Flaherty and Lloyd Lewis, Chicago Daily News; George Carlin, Alex Griffin, Philadelphia Record; Malcolm Bingay, Detroit Free Press; H. M. Brinkerhoff, Charles Dawer, Pittsburgh Post; E. W. Preston, Boston Herald; M. D. Fortune, Pittsburgh Press; E. C. Lapping, Detroit Times; J. M. Cunning, Philadelphia Inquirer; Dale Carnegie, Marion Young, Prunella Wood and George Adams.

I was disappointed at the absence of our bigest stars when given an opportunity to meet and chat informally with the men and women who write and publish and help build them up into star rating. They could take one night out of their busy lives and meet them personally. And have a swell dinner thrown in for good measure. When in trouble, they are the first people stars appeal to.

Norma Shearer on the Metro lot making tests for "The Women" wears gold-dust in her hair, something which Marlene Dietrich introduced seven years ago.

Claudette Colbert is just getting over gold poisoning, while we've been itching for some. She claims it came, not from dollars, but from a dress she wore. Pretty smart of Claudette to go over to Metro and cop one of their finest stories along with Jimmy Stewart, Director Woody Van Dyke and Producer Louis Leighton, when Metro's been frantically looking for stories for Myrna Loy, Joan Crawford, Hedy Lamarr and Norma Shearer. What's that they say about agents? Claudette's incidentally, never linger except at the $100 window at Santa Anita.

Our first Stunt Show was a knockout. Thank goodness, no one was hurt. And Vines again beat Budge, which gives him the record—he's never lost in our town.

Lucius Beebe's bass voice boomed through the phone, asking me to take in the preview of the World's Fair in San Francisco with him. Sorry I'll miss today's opening, which "is going to knock the spots off the New York one." Up to date, you've only heard about some of the bad art, but wait until you see the good. And see those olive trees, which are 180 years old. The studios are now arranging for special days for stars to appear there.

While you're having your coffee, our bachelors and their ladies are homeward-bound from their annual party, celebrated without benefit of the motion picture colony. Yet when we give a shindig the townfolk practically fight to get in. But just let one of our people try to get through the portals of the California Club or Los Angeles Country Club. Nor could they break down the confines of that exclusive residential section known as Bel-Air until it was on the verge of bankruptcy. And then they didn't care whose money they took. The joke of that situation is that the whole place formerly belonged to Daisy Danzinger, Mrs. Tony Moreno. I'd like to know where Los Angeles would be today if it weren't for the motion picture industry.

Lederer Soon To Become U. S. Citizen

Czech Actor Proud of Privilege After Five Years in Hollywood

By Frederick C. Othman.
United Press Hollywood Correspondent

Hollywood, Feb. 20.—A movie sound stage is an unusual place to obtain a sober interview on world affairs—but then Francis Lederer is an unusual movie actor.

The 31-year-old son of a Czecho-Slovakian leather dealer, who washed windows and swept floors to finance his education and who became one of the world's really fine actors, was distressed over world affairs.

So loud were the roars from European chancellories and so widespread were the wars and the threats of war that Lederer was forced only last Christmas to dissolve the World Peace Federation, which he organized and financed and which he said had more than 1,000,000 members.

"We became a voice in the wilderness," he said. "I am still interested in world peace—and 'interested' is hardly a strong enough word—but the dictators made the ideals of our organization obsolete, at least temporarily."

Plays First "Heavy"

Talking at Warner Brothers studios, where he plays a "heavy" for the first time in his American movie career as a German agent in "Confessions of a Nazi Spy," Lederer said he thought America should take a lesson from what happened to his native Czecho-Slovakia.

"In Czechoslovakia we idealized the United States," he said. "When our democracy was organized, we patterened it almost exactly after that of America. We had our president, our two houses of congress, and our constitution, which promised, among other things, the right of a free speech.

"Ours was a real democracy. I use the word 'ours' even though I have passed my citizenship examinations here and will become an American in three months more. Anyway, in Czechoslovakia we allowed anybody to say anything he pleased.

"The Germans organized their bunds in our country. They attacked our government in speeches and in print—and what happened last fall made history—tragic history.

"I don't predict that the same thing will happen in the United States, but I do feel that this country might well modify its laws. I believe that we need free speech to have a real democracy, but I also believe that there are those who are making a mockery of this freedom.

Should Be a Law

"I think that when a man attacks the very foundations of the government, he is going too far and that there should be a law to stop him. If we had had such a law in Czechoslovakia, Czechoslovakia might not now be the shell of a once happy and prosperous democracy."

Lederer, the husband of the Spanish dancer, Margo, and the man who gets most of his fan mail from women who look upon him as a matinee idol, is perhaps the most social-conscious (overworked movieland phrase) in Hollywood.

He was a boy when the World War broke out, but he was forced to fight in it anyway. He earned $1.20 a week as a Janitor after hostilities ceased, but that was enough to keep him alive while he studied at the Prague Academy of Dramatic Arts. He made his professional debut in the old German Theater at Prague and soon was appearing on all stages in all the European capitals.

Appeared With Bergner

His first big success was in Berlin, where he appeared with Elizabeth Bergner in "Romeo and Juliet." He repeated this same success in London and soon thereafter starred in "Autumn Crocus."

(This play, incidentally, is one of the few which really seems interesting, even when read by members of a ladies' aid society. If you're not familiar with it, we urge that you borrow it from your library and spend an evening more exciting than any movie this year has provided so far.)

"Autumn Crocus," in any event, established Lederer as an international star. Hollywood grabbed him. He came here five years ago, immediately applied for citizenship papers, and hasn't regretted his decision.

"You native-born Americans frequently do not realize how lucky you are," he said. "Yet I feel that I am even more fortunate. I am being allowed to become an American. Nobody but a foreigner can know what a wonderful feeling that is."

Let There Be Light

Johnny Davis is advocating luminous collar buttons to help harassed males find them in a hurry.

Kills Two Birds

Bobby "Dead End" Jordan is sending Santa Claus Valentine cards to friends he forgot at Xmas.

Songbird

DEANNA DURBIN,
who wears her first formal evening gown in "Three Smart Girls Grow Up." She is pictured wearing it above. The new Universal production will be coming along

Virginia Bruce to Be Aunt in April

Denying recurrent rumors that she will drop her screen career temporarily to become a mother, Virginia Bruce revealed today that she will become an aunt for the first time, early in 1939.

Her brother, Stanley Briggs, now a Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer script clerk, and his wife, the former Mary Lawrence, are expecting the first addition to their family in April.

Miss Bruce, appearing opposite Nelson Eddie in "Song of the West," admits that she herself would like to have another child sometime in the future as companion to her Susan Ann Gilbert.

Saves Autographs

Pat O'Brien has just rounded out the thirty-seventh to his collection of Mark Twain's autographed first editions.

New Cycle

Bette Davis has bought a one-cylinder motorbike for her Palm Springs vacationing.

The New Yorker

By Leonard Lyons

DURING A recess at the Hines trial, Lyon Boston, testifying for the defense, noticed that none of the court attendants or officers would speak to him although he's known them since the days when he was an assistant district attorney and prosecuted cases in this courtroom . . . One official finally cornered Boston and explained: A few days ago, during a recess, Jimmy Hines groped for a cigarette and said: "Will somebody give me a cigarette?" A detective proffered a package of Pall Malls.

HINES TOOK one and returned the package. A member of Dewey's staff only saw the detective accepting the package—and so the district attorney's staff grilled him for almost an hour, accusing him of having accepted money from Jimmy Hines . . . The detective finally convinced the prosecutors that a red-covered package of Pall Mall cigarettes was not money . . . "Meaning no reflection on the brand," sighed the relieved officer, "I'm lucky I don't smoke Lucky Strikes."

THE NEW YORK film censors, who banned "Yes, My Darling Daughter," will change their minds—but face-saving alterations will be made . . . Paramount and Metro have submitted bids for the movie rights to "Hellzapoppin" . . . Recordings of California ceremonies marking the release of Tom Mooney will be sold by Kay Recordings—for the Billings Defense Fund . . . In Berlin now, whenever citizens wish to discuss Hitler freely, they protect themselves from eavesdroppers by referring to him as "Mescowitz."

LILLIAN HELLMAN tendered a party at her home, after the premiere of her play, "The Little Foxes"—truly a great play, in which Tallulah Bankhead gives a superb performance . . . Miss Hellman invited a Mr. Baron Rockwell, and when she introduced him to her friends she was somewhat embarrassed to discover that the guests thought he was a titled foreigner . . . "He's not a baron. Baron is his first name," Lillian told Alan Campbell. "What shall I do?" . . . "Why not," Alan proposed, "introduce him to Earl Larrimore, Duke Ellington and King Vidor?"

JOHN MARRIOT, who plays the servant in "The Little Foxes," received much applause after one scene—but then missed his cue, and his reappearance was delayed . . . "Where is he? Where is he?" the stage manager pleaded . . . "He's probably upstairs," said Dashiell Hammett, "telephoning Darryl Zanuck."

"THE CHANGE in Tammany Hall's leadership won't occur until after the Hines trial . . . The supper room at Harry Richman's Road-to-Mandalay will be reopened tomorrow evening for the manuscript auction of the League of American Writers . . . Richman, incidentally, now is being managed by his brother, Lou . . . Keenan Wynn, son of Ed Wynn, originally had an important role in "One for the Money," but by the time the show opened, his role was cut down to practically a walk-on. And so, on opening night, Keenan wired the entire cast: "Good luck. Wish I were with you."

DORE SCHARY, who wrote the movie "Boys Town," is in New York now collecting data for his new assignment for Metro—the Life of Thomas Edison . . . Schary was at the Tavern last night and listened to some advice being offered by Paul Stewart . . . "Now, when you write the life of Edison," Stewart suggested, "here's the angle: You know—they laughed at McCormack when he sat down and invented the harvester . . . and also when he sang."

LOOK MAGAZINE is preparing a story concerning the influence of Eleanor Roosevelt and Sara Delano Roosevelt upon the President . . . It will include this sidelight: When the Duke and Duchess of Windsor were about to visit the United States, the President's mother urged her son not to invite Edward and Wally to the White House. Eleanor, however, argued that they should be invited to the White House . . . "After all," the President decided, "this is my house and I'll invite anybody I please."

DAWN ROLLAND got a job at the Hollywood Restaurant six years ago, when she was 14, and dreamed of the day when she would make her debut in the theater . . . From the Hollywood she went to the Paradise—still in the chorus line . . . and then joined the Ben Bernie troupe . . . Dawn toured the country with the orchestra and was elated when she was signed to a role in "Stars in Your Eyes." It wasn't an important role—but it meant a new field . . . a debut in a Broadway show . . . The script called for Dawn to be carried onstage by six men, who were to ease her to the floor before beginning her routine . . . On opening night the sextete carried Dawn Rolland onstage for her debut on Broadway, turned the wrong way—and she felt fiat on her face.

ROBERT AISNER, the French film producer, will produce American films at the Astoria, Long Island studios. Etain Elliot will be associated with him. They'll feature American movies—with a French touch . . . Doubleday, Doran will publish "Men Around the President," the new book by Kintner and Alsop, Washington's ace columnists . . . Frank Fay has signed Smith and Dale for his new vaudeville enterprise . . . Fred Waring will celebrate his twenty-first birthday as a band leader this week. Waring, who started with four men, still employs three of them. The fourth died . . . Billy Rose had ordered his Diamond Horseshoe girls not to use so much make-up. He told one, who protested that she was applying it gingerly: "I could stow away under your make-up."

AMUSEMENTS

Constitution Hall. This Eve., 8:30.
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Today's NEIGHBORHOOD Movies

Theaters Having Matinees

AMBASSADOR 2454 & Col. Rd. CO. 4555. 1 P.M.
Henry Fonda, Maureen O'Sullivan in "Let Us Live." At 1, 2:45, 4:30, 6:15, 8, 9:50. "Lincoln in the White House."

AVE. GRAND 645 Pa. Ave. S.E. LI. 2466 Mat. 1 p.m.
Robert Donat, Rosalind Russell in "The Citadel." At 1, 3:05, 5:15, 7:25, 9:30. Also Cartoon, Newsreel.

BEVERLY 18th & N St. N.W. LI. 2366. Mat. 1 P. M.
Parking Space Available to Patrons.
Gary Cooper, Merle Oberon in "Cowboy and the Lady." At 1:25, 3:25, 5:30, 7:35, 9:40. Also Cartoon, News.

CALVERT 2324 Wis. Ave. N.W. WO 2345. Mat. 1 P.M.
Claudette Colbert, Herbert Marshall in "Zaza." At 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:30. Also Newsreel.

CENTRAL 452 9th St. N.W. ME. 2345. Open 11 A.M.
Victor McLaglen, Chester Morris in "Pacific Liner." At 11, 1:40, 4:20, 7, 9:40. William Boyd in "Sunset Trail." At 12:30, 3:10, 5:50, 8:30.

PENN 650 Pa. Ave. S.E. LI. 2179. Mat. 1 P. M.
Robert Taylor, Wallace Beery in "Stand Up and Fight." At 1:25, 3:25, 5:30, 7:35, 9:35. Also Newsreel.

SHERIDAN Ga. & Sheridan N.W. RA. 2400. Mat. 1 P.M.
Gary Cooper, Merle Oberon in "Cowboy and the Lady." At 1:35, 3:35, 5:35, 7:35, 9:25. Also Newsreel.

SILVER Ga. Ave. & Colesville Pike Silver. 5300. Mat. 1 P. M.
Parking Space Available to Patrons.
Jeanette MacDonald, Nelson Eddy in "Sweethearts." At 1, 3:10, 5:20, 7:30, 9:45. Also Newsreel.

TIVOLI 14th & Park Road N.W. COL. 1300. Mat. 1 P.M.
Robert Taylor, Wallace Beery in "Stand Up and Fight." At 1:35, 3:25, 5:30, 7:35, 9:35. Disney Cartoon.

UPTOWN Conn. & Newark N.W. WO. 5400. Mat. 1 P.M.
Parking Space Available to Patrons.
Gary Cooper, Merle Oberon in "Cowboy and the Lady." At 1:35, 3:40, 5:35, 7:40, 9:45. March of Time.

Theaters Having Eve. Performances

APOLLO 624 H St. N.E. LI. 1578
Jeanette MacDonald, Nelson Eddy in "Sweethearts." At 5:30, 7:40, 9:55.

AVALON 5612 Conn. Ave. N.W. WO. 2400
Jeanette MacDonald, Nelson Eddy in "Sweethearts." At 5:30, 7:30, 9:35.

COLONY 4935 Ga. Ave. N.W. GE. 4500
Jeanette MacDonald, Nelson Eddy in "Sweethearts." At 5:30, 7:30, 9:35.

HOME 1230 G St. N.E. AT. 6188
Brought Back by Popular Demand.
Mickey Rooney, Wallace Beery in "Slave Ship." At 6, 7:56, 9:40. Short.

SAVOY 3500 14th St. N.W. COL. 4966
Sally Eilers in "Tarnished Angel." At 6:15, 8:10, 10:05. "Titans of the Deep" Short Subject.

SECO 8244 Ga. Ave., Silver Spring SH. 2540. Parking Space
Barbara Stanwyck, Henry Fonda in "Mad Miss Manton." At 6:15, 8, 9:45.

TAKOMA 4th and Butternut Sts. GE. 6311. Parking Space
Lew Ayres, Lionel Barrymore in "Young Dr. Kildare." At 6:15, 8:05, 10. Also Short Subject.

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Bing Crosby, Shirley Ross.

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25c to 5:30 P. M.

Mixture of Work and Play Keep Winchester High Students in Happy Mood

Post Staff Photo.

Convinced that all work and no play leads to boredom, officials of Handley High School, Winchester, Va., have adopted a program designed to keep the student body in a jovial mood and at the same time provide the necessary education for entrance to colleges and universities. A group of students (left) is shown leaving classes in a light-hearted manner. The group includes Elia Pugh, Jeanne Miller, Estelle Tinsman, Elizabeth Linkous, Lucille Embrey, Peggy Boxwell, John Carlson and Daniel Doyle. The three campus personalities (center) are Willie Cather, Mary Bowman and John Chambers, all snapped as a carefree mood. Pete Himbright (right) was at the peak of a smile when the cameraman swung into action. Pete is popular with students, having been elected president of the student executive council for the year

U. S. Will Build 27 Miles of Road In Blue Ridge

By the Associated Press.

The National Park Service disclosed yesterday it planned to invite bids shortly for construction of an additional 27.3 miles of the Scenic Blue Ridge Parkway in Virginia.

Construction plans and the date for calling the bids would be discussed, officials said, at a meeting here Thursday with Stanley W. Abbott, acting superintendent and resident landscape architect of the parkway.

The new section comprises three units of the parkway that ultimately will link Shenandoah National Park in Virginia with the Great Smoky Mountain National Park in North Carolina and Tennessee.

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Fairfax School Budget to Be Discussed

Meeting Tonight Sponsored by Trade Association

FAIRFAX BUREAU OF THE POST, P. O. BOX 245, Fairfax, Va. Phone Falls Church 2088-M.

The Fairfax County Chamber of Commerce will sponsor a public meeting for the discussion of the proposed county school budget for the next fiscal year tonight in the county courthouse.

This will be the second meeting held by the chamber to give the public an opportunity to discuss the proposed county financial budget for 1939-40. The discussion on the school budget will be led by Dr. Lennig Sweet and County Supt. of Schools W. T. Woodson will explain the various items.

The proposed school budget asks for about $50,000 more than can be raised by the $1.25 school tax rate, which is the limit allowed by law. This amount has been put in the county levy fund by the board of supervisors and the proposed budget if adopted will require the appropriation of the difference by the supervisors for the benefit of the schools.

To Open School Bids

The county school board will open bids for the construction of four new schools on March 8, it was announced yesterday by County Superintendent W. T. Woodson. The schools will be the new Mount Vernon High School, the Dunn Loring-Merrifield-Idylwood school and the colored school plants at Gum Springs and Merrifield.

The new Mount Vernon High School will be located on the Washington-Richmond highway near the Mount Vernon estate, from which it takes its name, and will cost about $100,000. The Dunn Loring elementary school will be located on Gallows road at Dunn Loring and will serve the Merrifield, Idylwood and Falls Church areas and relieve congestion in the Vienna school. The new structure will cost about $50,000.

The colored school at Gum Springs will cost about $4,000 and the one at Merrifield $3,450.

These schools are a part of the $375,000 school building program in the county which is being financed by a PWA grant and State literary loans. The projects at Annandale and Franconia have been completed and the addition to the Fairfax High is well under way and with the letting of the contracts next month only four school projects will be left on the program.

School officials expect to have the entire program completed before school opens next fall.

Women Plan Luncheon

Franconia.—The Women's Auxiliary of the Franconia Volunteer Fire Department will hold a luncheon tomorrow in the Franconia School beginning at 12:30. Mrs. James Cook is in charge of arrangements. Entertainment will be provided by Arch McDonald, radio announcer.

To Hold Oyster Dinner

Annandale.—The Women's Missionary Society of the Annandale Methodist Church will hold an oyster and ham dinner tomorrow evening beginning at 5, in the school. Mrs. Russell W. Creekmore is general chairman with Mrs. Edna Dean in charge of the supper and Mrs. Mason Hirst, tickets and publicity.

Buford Durrer Dies

Buford Gilbert Durrer, 49, of Lincolnia, Fairfax County, Va., died Sunday in the Alexandria Hospital. Funeral services will be held today at 2 p. m. from the Demaine funeral home in Alexandria. Burial will be in Ivy Hill Cemetery.

He had lived in Fairfax County most of his life and was employed as a carpenter. He served several terms as justice of the peace in Falls Church district. His brother, Capt. Heywood J. Durrer, of the Fairfax County Police, died on January 18.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mack L. Durrer; his wife, Mrs. Minnie M. Durrer; two sons, Gilbert B. and Frederick M. Durrer; a daughter, Mrs. Jerome Keyes; two brothers, Cabell Durrer, of Chevy Chase, and William Durrer, of Ruckerville, Va., and three sisters, Mrs. Jesse Harlow and Mrs. Nelson Condon, both of Fairfax County, and Mrs. O. H. McMullen, of Ruckersville, Va.

Montgomery Group to Hear Street at Dinner Thursday

Montgomery County Bureau of the Post, 9213 Clark Ave., Silver Spring, Md. Telephone SHepherd 4200.

Norbeck—The Montgomery County Social Service League will hold its annual dinner Thursday at 7 p. m. at the Manor Club. Elwood Street, executive director of the Department of Public Welfare of Washington, will speak on "The Function of the Public Agency."

John Middleton, of the Family Welfare Association of America, will talk on "The Function of the Private Agency." A discussion will follow the two talks. Mrs. Daniel C. Walser, of Chevy Chase, chairman of the arrangements committee, has arranged to have two selections by the glee club of Montgomery Blair High School.

Rockville—Montgomery County 4-H members and interested adults attended a lamb-feeding tour yesterday in the upper county. Led by County Agent O. W. Anderson and his assistant, Rufus B. King, the group visited farms of 4-H members who have been conducting an experiment in lamb-feeding.

The first stop was at the N. C. Stiles farm on Shady Grove road, where the demonstration was conducted by Frank Stiles. The next stop was at E. B. Walters' farm near Darnestown, where the Walter boys, Emmanuel and Melvin, were demonstrators. The last stop was at the Earl Lechlider farm on Glen road, near Potomac, where the experiments have been carried on by George Lechlider.

Each of the youths received 15 lambs November 3 and since then have fed and cared for the lambs.

Health Meeting Tonight

Takoma Park—Representatives of Montgomery and Prince Georges counties health departments have been invited to give their views on health problems at a meeting of the Takoma Health and Welfare Center at 8 tonight at the Fire Hall.

Dr. G. Burton Queen, Takoma health officer, will speak. Mrs. George Robertson will preside. Questions on the work of Mrs. Emily B. McKenna, public health nurse, will be answered by her.

Rep. Hope to Speak Tonight

Takoma Park — Representative Clifford R. Hope, of Kansas, will speak on "The Farm Problem" tonight at the annual turkey dinner of the Brotherhood Club of the Takoma Park Presbyterian Church, to be held in the church hall on Maple avenue, at 6:30 p. m.

The Women's Society, headed by Mrs. Fred S. Wilson, will serve the dinner. Edmund L. Green will preside.

Committee Heads Named

Silver Spring.—Mrs. John J. Dolan, president of the Woman's Improvement Club, has announced appointment of the following committee chairmen: Membership, Mrs. William Jouvenal and Mrs. E. I. Harmon; education, Miss Althea Biggs; welfare, Mrs. A. E. Biggs; American home, Mrs. Babbington; county government, Mrs. S. M. Deffinbaugh; press and publicity, Mrs. John Keele; parliamentarian, Mrs. Richard James.

First Aid Courses to Start

Silver Spring.—First-aid training will be provided all civilians who care to enroll tonight at 7 o'clock at the Silver Spring firehouse. The classes are sponsored by the Silver Spring Fire Department and will be conducted by Capt. Boss, of the District of Columbia Fire Department. They will be held on Tuesday and Wednesday of alternate weeks until 30 hours have been completed. Both the standard and advanced course will be given.

Mrs. Ogden to Speak

Rockville.—Mrs. John M. Ogden, chairman of government and its operations, Baltimore League of Women Voters, will speak on "League Organization and Current Legislation" at a meeting of the Montgomery County League of Women Voters at 2 p. m. Friday. A business meeting will precede the program.

Re-registration Fee Hit

Kensington. — Arnold Wilburn Post, American Legion, has gone on record as opposing Gov. O'Conor's proposal to charge a $2 fee for re-registration of all automobile drivers in the State.

Turkey Dinner Tomorrow

Cedar Grove.—Ladies of the Upper Senaca Baptist Church of Cedar Grove will serve a turkey dinner tomorrow from 5 to 9 p. m. in the church social rooms. Mrs. Wilbur Watkins is chairman of the committee on arrangements.

Hospital Drive Broadened

Bladensburg—Chairmen of subcommittees will be named for every community in Prince George County to promote interest in the county's proposed 150-bed hospital, it was stated yesterday by Frank H. Fierstein, chairman of the general committee, following a meeting of his group here.

The chairmen will name their own committee members, said Fierstein, who added that purpose of the committees was to arouse enthusiasm for the hospital project in all sections of the county.

Fierstein also announced that Judge Alfred D. Bailey had been succeeded as chairman of the finance committee by Mayor William Steele, of Capitol Heights. Judge Bailey, as president of the Federation of Citizens' Associations which launched the hospital project, is ex-officio a member of all committees.

The proposed hospital has been indorsed by several civic groups in the county. It would be located at Green Hill, near Bladensburg, and, as designed by Paul H. Kea and R. Webster Ross, architects, would cost nearly $250,000 completely equipped.

Prince Georges Group to Plan Better Land Use

Baden Man Heads Group To Back Diverse Crops And Small Industries

PRINCE GEORGES COUNTY BUREAU OF THE POST, 42 University rd., Calvert Hills, Md. Telephone GReenwood 3559.

A committee headed by W. R. C. Connick, of Baden, was named at a farmers' meeting at Upper Marlboro yesterday to develop an improved program of land use.

Also appointed to the committee were Mrs. Herdon Peach, of Mitchellville, vice chairman, and P. E. Clark, of District Heights, secretary. Clark is county agricultural agent.

Among proposals for improvement of farming conditions were diversification of crops and establishment of small industries in the county to provide a home market.

Liquor Trial Friday

Upper Marlboro—Samuel Myers, 45, of Forestville, will be tried in police court here Friday on a charge of possessing untaxed whiskey. He was freed on $500 bond following arrest Saturday night by Sergt. Elon Turner, of the county police force.

Two Washington colored youths pleaded guilty to housebreaking and larceny charges and were held for the grand jury by Justice of the Peace J. R. Creecy at a hearing in the courthouse.

Charged with entering the home of George N. Cox, of Oxon Hill, the youths are Charles Davis, 21, of the 1100 block of Seventh street southeast, and Earl Holbrook, 20, of the 1000 block of Fourth street southeast.

Girl Scouts to Meet

College Park—The Leaders' Association of the Girl Scout Council of Prince Georges County will sponsor an "International Thinking Day" party at 3 p. m. tomorrow in the women's field house at the University of Maryland.

Girls in the program will place flags of the various countries and dolls dressed in the uniforms of girl scouts throughout the world before a miniature of the girl scout international chalet in Switzerland. The ceremony will symbolize the meeting of girl scouts of the world.

Alexandria to Pay Tribute To Gen. Washington Tomorrow

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Maj. Horace B. Smith, White House military aide, has been designated to place the wreath on the tomb of Washington, at Mount Vernon tomorrow, in the name of President Roosevelt, and will leave this city at 10:30 o'clock with the Veterans of Foreign Wars delegation, headed by National Commander Eugene L. Van Antwerp, National Auxiliary President Mrs. Anna Mae Lochner, Commander William E. Sullender, of Russell Mitchell Post, Alexandria, and others.

The program for the day as arranged by Samuel E. DeVaughan, general chairman, and his committee, of Russell Mitchell Post, is as follows: Registration of guests, 9 a. m.; reception of guests, 9:30 a. m.; motorcade to Mount Vernon to leave the George Mason Hotel at 10:30; return from Mount Vernon 11:15 a. m.; luncheon at 12:30 in honor of the national commander and national president.

The parade will start at 2:30 p. m. from Fairfax and King streets, with the reviewing stand at Commerce streets.

Fourth National District meeting of the V. F. W. and the auxiliaries of West Virginia, Maryland, District of Columbia and Virginia, will be at 4:30 p. m. in the George Mason. The dinner at 7:30 p. m. in honor of the national officers is also to be held in this hotel, followed by the grand ball at 10 p. m.

Julian F. Chauncey, vice president of the Alexandria Retail Merchants Association, has been elected by the board of directors of the State association as vice president to succeed C. Page Waller, also of Alexandria, who resigned when elected city collector of Alexandria.

Chauncey was also appointed on the legislative committee in place of Waller.

Mrs. William P. Sadler and Mrs. Colgate Darden are joint chairmen of the pancake luncheon to be served today, from 11:30 a. m. to 1:30 p. m., under the auspices of Section B of Christ Episcopal Church, in the parish hall, 100 block of North Columbus street. Assistants will include Mrs. H. C. Richards, Mrs. Kenneth Downes, Mrs. MacDonald Douglass, Mrs. George E. Pickett, Mrs. Charles F. Holden and Mrs. Windsor W. Demaine.

Section B of the Woman's Auxiliary of Emmanuel Episcopal Church will serve a pancake supper in the church hall from 5 to 8 o'clock this evening.

The funeral of Frank R. Nugent, 49 years old, who died suddenly Thursday morning at his home, 920 Duke street, was held yesterday morning from St. Mary's Catholic Church, conducted by the Rev. John Igoe, assistant pastor. Burial was in St. Mary's Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Everett B. DeVaughan, Frank Buckley, Harvey Schwarzmann, William Igoe, Eugene Igoe and John Demarr.

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No Cause For Delay

Representative Kennedy's refusal to postpone hearings on the Griffenhagen plan to modernize the District government is fully justified. Since the District Commissioners' own committee brought forward a reorganization report 14 months ago, they have had ample opportunity to formulate their proposals for Congress. An agreement on the part of Mr. Kennedy to postpone hearings until the Commissioners can make up their minds might result once more in sidetracking the entire issue.

There is a good argument for not rushing the hearings. Issues of great importance and complexity have been raised by the Griffenhagen report. While there has been widespread indorsement of that document in principle, civic agencies need some time to clarify their views and to prepare testimony for the hearings. This analysis and discussion is all to the good. When the hearings open civic agencies should be prepared to give the committee an accurate consensus of the community's wishes.

The Griffenhagen report is entitled to more considerate treatment, however, than the Commissioners seem disposed to give it. There is reason to believe that a large majority of District residents will applaud Mr. Kennedy's determination not to wait while the Commissioners devise a substitute which might divide support for the proposed modernization.

Identical Bidding

Identical bidding on governmental supplies has long been a source of annoyance to Federal officials. The public interest clearly demands genuine competition among firms seeking to furnish the Government with essential materials. The question raised by the suit of the Department of Justice against 18 automobile tire manufacturing companies is whether or not the present anti-trust law can be effectively used for this purpose.

"In the opinion of the department," says Thurman Arnold, Assistant Attorney General, "such identical bidding, whether or not supported by other evidence, creates a presumption of a combination to fix prices." He does not say whether or not the department's case is based entirely upon this presumption. But if that is the case the decision of the court will be truly significant.

Robert Jackson, formerly in charge of the anti-trust division, pointed out in his report for the fiscal year 1937 that enforcement of the anti-trust laws over nearly half a century has had very little effect upon the concentration of business control. He attributed this largely to the fact that the courts have not based their judgments upon the effect of trade practices brought into question but upon the intent of the accused parties. "Actual results," he said, "are ignored in an effort to determine whether a fictitious personality is acting in an evil state of mind."

That being the case, Mr. Jackson recommended modification of the law to make it an effective instrument in preventing centralization of economic control and rigid price structures. No action on that advice has been taken, although the problem is before the Temporary National Economic Committee. In the meantime Mr. Arnold appears to be asking the courts to place more emphasis on the evidence of trade restraints than upon the intent of the defendant companies.

Whether or not the tire companies acted as a combination in restraint of trade when they submitted identical bids to the Government in this case is an intricate legal issue. It is a well-known fact, however, that rigid price structures do not necessarily arise from actual conspiracies on the part of supposedly competing firms. In many instances one dominating company will publish a list of prices and all competitors will fall into line to avoid a price-slashing war. There may be no discussion of prices among them and no agreement whatever. Does that situation involve violation of the anti-trust laws?

A question arises, moreover, as to how far the Government should go in forcing competition—after monopolistic agreements have been prohibited—in industries where ruthless price slashing may also be ruinous. No answer to that query may be expected from the present suit. But it is one of the baffling problems with which the O'Mahoney committee must wrestle.

The Anderson Episode

Washington's need for a municipal auditorium has been strongly emphasized by the recent denial of both Constitution Hall and Central High School as settings for a concert by Marian Anderson. It should be obvious that in neither case was any slight to the famous Negro singer intended. But failure to appreciate certain factors in the situation has led some to believe that it is difficult, if not impossible, for her many admirers in Washington to listen to this great artist.

For the last three years Miss Anderson has sung annually in Washington, appearing in 1936 and 1937 at the Armstrong High School and in 1938 at the Rialto Theater. The demand for a more adequate forum this year is due in part to Miss Anderson's steadily growing reputation. But it is also partly due to the increased compensation which that reputation sustains.

It is understood that for her 1936 performance here Miss Anderson received $600. The Board of Education was informed that her honorarium for the proposed Central High School performance would be $1,750. That may not be an exceptional fee for an artist of her ranking. But it clearly puts the business on a level which would make utilization of school property impossible, even if the law did not provide for a dual school system in the District of Columbia.

Miss Anderson will not sing at Central High School for essentially the same reason that the Department of Labor auditorium would be closed to her—the charges involved necessitate a profit-making performance, and consequent seat charges, for which property designed for governmental use is clearly unsuitable.

Of course, that fact would not debar Constitution Hall as an appropriate setting. But as a private organization the D. A. R. have the same unquestionable right as a private school, or church, or club, to decide when their auditorium shall be made available, and when withheld, for purposes of public assemblage. The judgment of the society in this instance may be criticized. Precisely because it has no rival here Constitution Hall has become "affected with a public interest." But without knowing all the facts it would be dangerous to assume that any unusual discrimination is involved in any decision which the society makes with regard to its own property.

None the less the episode has created an impression that the National Capital denies a citizen with a divine gift the right to sing to the thousands who would unquestionably feel privileged to hear her on a local stage. This unjust assumption is perhaps socially more important than the fact that it has so scanty a basis. And the best way to eliminate this and future misunderstandings of like character is to push on with the municipal auditorium project.

It should be put through as quickly as is compatible with securing a building worthy of performances by the greatest artists. And it should be large enough to seat not merely those who are able to afford the charges obtainable by stars, but also the much greater number for whom the democratic popularization of true music will fill a vital need.

Peru's Palace Putsch

The attempt of Gen. Antonio Rodriguez to make himself dictator of Peru in the place of President Benavides ended almost as soon as it began. A few hours after the ambitious general had seized the government his coup d'etat had gone on the rocks, he himself was dead and his handful of followers were either in prison or in hiding.

Precisely what moved Gen. Rodriguez to undertake this opera bouffe revolt is not yet clear. The indications are, however, that he was the victim of an overdose of ambition, plus a too active memory. Peru's would-be dictator probably recalled how easily President Leguia was overthrown in 1930, after he had absented himself from the capital by taking a cruise on a warship. The departure of President Benavides and other officials of the government on a naval transport for a three-day holiday gave Gen. Rodriguez, last Sunday morning, what appeared to be his great opportunity. But he neglected to make sure of the support of the nation's armed forces. The result was inevitable disaster.

The easy victory of the Benavides regime on this occasion does not mean that it has widespread popular support. The strong action taken against the radical Aprista Party, and other opposition elements, indicates that the government is not sufficiently sure of itself to take a chance on permitting free play for all political forces.

Had Rodriguez been supported by these opposition elements, Sunday's story from Lima might have had a different outcome. Fortunately for Benavides and his colleagues, the revolt was largely a one-man show. Yet the Peruvian dictator is doubtless alarmed by the circumstance that the man who staged the putsch was one of his closest collaborators and, seemingly, one of his dearest friends.

In Peru, as elsewhere, it is impossible for a dictator to take for granted the loyalty of any of his subordinates. Others will always be tempted to grasp at power which one has seized by unorthodox methods.

Rising Above Politics

Senator Austin deserves commendation for his patriotic adherence to the principle that politics must cease at the water's edge.

As ranking Republican member of the Senate Military Affairs Committee, he was clearly subject to the temptation to make partisan capital out of the Administration's activities in connection with the sale of fighting planes to France. The original secrecy surrounding this transaction, plus the melodramatic way in which the facts finally came to light, have made it possible for the opposition to embarrass the Administration. Senator Austin, however, puts that temptation behind him. The full story, as brought out in the Senate Committee's investigation of the episode, has persuaded him that there has been nothing at all improper about it.

The Administration's action, this Vermonter declares, was "not unneutral, not provocative to any other nation, not an impediment to our own procurement program and not in violation of the Army's priority rights to the latest developments in planes." Indeed, it is his feeling that the whole transaction "tended to promote our capacity to produce airplanes needed under the armaments program."

With this conclusion the great majority of Americans will probably agree. Our present industrial capacity in airplane production must be expanded if the air defense program is to be carried out speedily and efficiently. Such orders as the French, the British and other governments have placed with our manufacturers make plant expansion feasible and profitable. Moreover, insofar as strong, well-armed democracies make the continued maintenance of peace in Europe more likely, it is clearly to our interest to place no obstacles in the path of armament purchases by those nations here.

In permitting such considerations, rather than narrow motives of partisanship, to determine his attitude, Senator Austin has again demonstrated that he is much more than a politician.

Job For City Planners

The conclusion that Government-owned "dime-a-day" parking lots in the congested area would be impractical is not surprising. Other cities have found that high-priced land cannot be economically used for storage of automobiles, except at prices that are discouraging for the average motorist.

Obviously, however, these findings do not dispose of the problem. There is an urgent need to remove more cars from the streets. The parking meters appear to have substantially improved conditions, but they do not take the place of storage space where automobiles may be left all day. Perhaps a partial solution may be found, as the committee headed by Highway Director Whitehurst suggests, in the development of parking lots just outside of the most congested area. A number of such lots are already being utilized.

Basically, the problem of storing many thousands of automobiles daily in the downtown area is one of city planning. If the agencies which control the physical development of Washington had foreseen, even 10 years ago, the traffic jams of today, much of the congestion in a relatively small area might have been avoided. What has been done can not be undone, but certainly the city planners ought to be considering this dilemma as assiduously as the traffic officials.

If Washington is to continue relying upon private automobiles for transportation of a large portion of its inhabitants to and from their work, the city must be further decentralized. A proportion of new Government buildings must be located outside of the present congested area. And adequate parking facilities should be considered an essential part of each project. In the long run city planning of this sort will be much easier, and no less important from the viewpoint of traffic, than the creation of parking lots in already highly-developed sections of the city.

Maybe you don't worry about such things, but when scientists smash an atom, what do they do with the pieces?

Alf Landon says being a Republican is its own reward. But not the kind of reward that can be traded for groceries.

The 1939 automobiles are so well designed and constructed some of them may last until they're paid for.

"Writing for money is a discouraging business," declares an author. Yes, particularly when done by a creditor.

"The future is very bright and very dubious," says a Government economist. That's a neat bit of hedging.

An eccentric person is one whose idiosyncrasies are different from yours.

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Easy Street and Hard Luck Alley converge at the River Styx.

Another Hit-And-Run Charge

Letters to the Editor

All communications must carry the writers' name and address, though pen names are permitted at the Editor's discretion. In fairness to other correspondents brevity is requested. Letters are subject to condensation.

Planes for Allies

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: In the parks and along the broad avenues of the Nation's Capital are statues of men who crossed the ocean to fight for democracy; statues of men like Lafayette, Kosciuszko, Pulaski, Von Steuben and De Kalb. These were not soldiers of fortune, seeking loot in the New World. Most of them left behind comfort, wealth and position. Some were of noble birth. But all had espoused an ideal and thought enough of it to fight for it.

Democracy wasn't much more than an idea then, an untested experiment still in the laboratory stage. But men were willing to die for it. Today, it is the basis of government for three of the world's most powerful nations and for a score of less powerful ones. Because of it we live as a free people: free to think and act for ourselves; secure in our homes, our places of worship, and in our legislative bodies.

But how many of us would fight for it? And just how far would we go in its defense? Would we cross 4,000 miles of ocean, as did Lafayette, Kosciuszko and other foreign heroes of the Revolution? It was the same democracy then, as now, except that in their day it could only promise much, whereas, in our time it has delivered.

France and England are engaged in a desperate effort to prepare for what seems inevitable—armed conflict with the totalitarian states. And the future of the Western Hemisphere will be as much at stake in that conflict, as that of the rest of the world, for the removal of France and England from the path will bring more aggressive operations against Latin America; operations that definitely will involve the Monroe Doctrine.

All of these possibilities are recognized by the President and steps have been taken to bolster the national defense. But a great hue and cry has been raised by isolationists in Congress, because someone in official circles is supposed to have made it easier for France and England to purchase planes in this country. Some hint at secret pacts and others fear that any discrimination against the totalitarian powers will "lead us down the road to war."

Suppose there has been discrimination against the totalitarians and that someone in the Government has been making it easier for Britain and France to speed up their armament effort? "So what!" Isn't it to our advantage that the issue be decided definitely, in Europe, and that it be determined in favor of the democratic nations? Isn't it better that the totalitarian horror be crushed before it gathers sufficient momentum to push toward our shores? And aren't Britain and France girding for a task that will most certainly be our own, if they fail?

And finally, isn't it sound strategy to help them now, with planes and munitions, than later to face the necessity of making the last-ditch fight for democracy, on our own borders?

FRANK BUCKLEY.
Washington, Feb. 18.

Strength In The Air

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: I make no objection to having my letter cut to conform with space limitations in your paper, but the first paragraph as it appeared in The Post of February 19 does not seem to me even to make sense.

The paragraph in question is a combination of two separate paragraphs and my meaning is entirely lost in the combination. The thought that I intended to convey was that the only way we could be assured of competent airplane design and airplane craftsmen was by the process of building, even if the planes we built were obsolete soon after completion.

We can not expect to compete in design and efficiency with the other great nations unless we continue to build. All the wonderfully equipped factories in the world will not produce results until an adequate number of men are trained for the work; and the time to train them, as the totalitarian nations know, is before war starts.

EDWIN W. MAPHIS.
Charlottesville, Va., Feb. 19.

Colonial Virginia

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Fifteen years of reading letters to the editor in our local papers has given me the invariable formula on international questions taken by contributors who sign as a "Virginian" or as a "Descendant of the American Revolution," or when Virginia birth or Colonial descent is rubbed in to give authority to a sweeping statement.

The people who settle questions of foreign policy in these perilous days by quoting what George Washington said in 1784 always come forward with the virtuous and positive air of the fundamentalist preacher who can prove anything by his own interpretation of the Apocalypse. And they always come forward with a flourish of rhetoric and resounding invectives against Europe.

It is curious that these Colonial-conscious thinkers have not yet got as far as the Civil War in their political thinking, and talk as if the War of 1812 is still being fought. Instead of defending the country against totalitarian threats, they rush to the defense of Bladensburg.

To match the provincialism of this type of correspondents one has to go to the flat-earthers of Zion City, Ill. Worst of all, there is no hope for Virginia going modern until they die off.

FED UP.
Washington, Feb. 18.

An Open Letter To Marian Anderson

Elsewhere throughout the land few halls are large enough to hold those who'd hear you sing. Those who know acclaim that gift, say yours is a voice heard once in a hundred years. But in your Nation's Capital the halls are closed to you—you are just another Negro. Your brothers are ashamed, but not of you, Marian Anderson!

Kings and princes have honored you, foreign governments placed their decorations upon you, knowing that he who listens to the mocking bird in summer perhaps himself can find ennoblement thereby. But in the Capital of your native land the halls are closed to you, even the public school. Bishop, priest, educator, men in high places, of boasted lineage, say pity, but to protest only irritates. Here in Washington you are just another Negro, despite that gift of God. Your brothers are ashamed, but not of you, Marian Anderson!

Scarce 20 years ago in this same city every strange white face was enemy suspect. Then your brothers were put in uniform, made soldiers to guard your Nation's Capital. No Senator nor plain citizen, if white of face, entered Capitol or public building until he met the challenge of a Negro soldier. Then we were proud to serve our Nation and its Capital. Now your brothers are ashamed, but not of you, Marian Anderson!

Here in Washington, noble city, with few, so few exceptions than your brothers, only God will honor you, Marian Anderson!

V. D. JOHNSTON.
Howard University.
Washington, Feb. 19.

Marring Mellon Gallery

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: In the immediate future, beautiful Washington will possess what promises to be the most magnificent art gallery in the world, a priceless shrine to creative art. This significant addition to choice edifices constitutes a potent contribution toward the beautification of the Nation's Capital and its elevation into an ideal to be sought after by other American cities.

While hardly endeavouring to question the wisdom of the decision with regard to the site of the Mellon Gallery now under construction, the writer is of the conviction that some of the surrounding buildings as they stand now will mar to some degree its splendor. Unlike other sides, facing which the background is very befitting, its north side stands vis-a-vis a row of old, weather-beaten buildings, truly reminiscent of the World War days.

The National Guard Armory is there with the plaster "peeling" off its entire facade. Of no better appearance can the adjoining hotels, lunch rooms and curiosity shops boast: nor can they justly claim an elite clientele. Even a furtive look at this unpleasant sight will suffice to dispel any doubts with regard to their inappropriateness as a fit setting for the stately gallery under construction.

Consequently, it seems logical that the proper steps should be taken to remedy this unsound situation. Prompt concerted action on the part of both District and Federal authorities, progressive civic groups and conscientious residents, is necessary. With the proper approach and frequent consultation of interested parties, some satisfactory and workable formula for the demolition of the buildings in question and the erection of new ones or a fundamental remodeling of them, is definitely within the bounds of reasonable expectation. Action along this line is both urgent and imperative if the art gallery that is soon to become a reality is to be spared injury to its beauty.

JAMES C. PANOPOULOS.
Washington, Feb. 19.

Books For Finland

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Because Finland is the only country to pay her debts to us, I have offered to collect a library of books in English to send to the Finnish people as a mark of appreciation from the people of the United States. This offer has been accepted by the Delegation of Scientific Societies of Finland, in a letter expressing "sincere admiration for the American people."

Will your readers show their approval of Finland by sending me books in good condition, in the fields of belles-lettres, philosophy, fine arts fiction, biography, standard poetry, history, travel and recent books on religion, science, sociology and education. (Parcels post on books now 1½ cents per pound.) The address is 928 Bellefonte street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

FLORENCE ALDEN McLEOD.
Pittsburgh, Pa., Feb. 18.

The Marshal's Office

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: I have read your editorial entitled "A National Disgrace." It looks to me as if the marshal's office has been under bad management and that a new marshal would correct this.

The marshal is responsible for the proper conduct of his office, and if he could sit there and let his help conduct affairs as they have been shown to have been running, he should be held accountable.

E. E. DUDDING, M. D.
Huntington, W. Va., Feb. 18.

The Post Impressionist

Ch. Cur of Mexico

THE FIRST TIME I saw Wickey he was just two big eyes peeping out of an old battered straw hat. It was raining cats and chihuahuas when we came alongside the dock at Vera Cruz and the captain said we'd have to wait over a few days. It looked to me as if the rainy season had set in for good and I wondered if the captain wasn't just being optimistic. But it was no good squawking for our cargo was copra and copra is allergic to rain and there was nobody on that ship or off it who could do anything about the rain so there we were.

I'm quite sure Ernest Hemingway could have made something of that unexpected delay in the little muddy Mexican town which could hardly be seen from our ship because of the silver slanting deluge. But most of the passengers simply gave it up as a bad job on the weatherman's part, strolled back to their cabins, found an old New Yorker or a bit of needlework and settled down. I realize now that's what I should have done. For that's when Wickey came into my life.

The news of a ship at anchor gets around a town amazingly fast. You'd have thought those Mexicans would simply have shrugged their shoulders, looked up at the sky again and turned over for another snooze. But no. Apparently they grabbed up shawls, children and livestock and beat it for the dock, mud and all. For they had all sorts of things they wished to sell or swap or otherwise dispose of. Wickey was one of the things.

Now I've always been a lover of dogs. I have held as faithfully as anyone to the tenet that the dog is a friend of man, that he is the most intelligent of all God's four-footed animals, and that he more often than not gets a raw deal from his all too brief span of life. Up to a few years ago I had never even let myself speculate on the heretical assumption that somewhere there must exist a knave of dogs, a public enemy of puppies, a black sheep, so to speak, among his fellow canine. My first disenchantment came from a surly black chow which I had raised from a dewy-eyed pekingese. I didn't know until too late that both look exactly alike when they're puppies. For the first three months of his life he was called Toto. From then on he was known uncompromisingly as The Giant Killer. That will give you some idea of what I and the neighborhood went through.

Where I made my big mistake in Mexico was not putting all my spare shekels in hand-woven baskets and rubber gadgets for whatnots. I even had a chance to pick up some bargain bedspreads in Tampico that had been made in Dubuque, Iowa. But human beings never know when they're well off. With all the native wealth of that colorful country at my disposal—beaten silver, old brass urns, marvelous pottery—I had to go and buy more trouble per square inch of dog flesh than any mortal ever bought before. The crew, en masse, shook its head when the sale was finally made. I dismissed their opinions as coming from an ill-bred ill-assorted, ill-kempt gang of old tars who knew nothing about the finer things of life and the way of a pup with a girl.

Besides, I argued to myself, here was an opportunity to buy a real Chihuahua for about one-third its asking price in the States. Moreover, it was the smallest one I had ever seen and since its original owner assured me that it was then six months of age, I knew it would grow very little more, if any. To cap all this, the Chihuahua is notoriously a one-woman dog and the ideal pet for a small apartment. His full name was Wickey-and-Soda, for those were the words I heard most often in Mexico. The hangover I suffered from that canine Wickey-and-Soda was far more terrible and long lasting than any I ever derived from the true terquillia.

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Well, in the first place, Wickey never was a pup in the real sense of the word. He was apparently what numerologists are disposed to call an "old soul." Bedroom slippers, rubber balls, synthetic bones hygienically prepared for the edification of dogdom all bored him stiff. I had looked forward to playful tugs of war, to stern but loving bouts of discipline, to a happy mistress-and-mongrel partnership. Wickey would enter into these games as if to humor me but I can't bear to be patronized so I soon gave them up.

In the second place, anyone who thinks all Chihuahuas are one-woman dogs just doesn't know Wickey. And in the third place, any one who thinks Wickey is a Chihuahua just doesn't know Chihuahuas. These things, as the Bible says, came to pass and were gradually revealed to me. Far from caring for me and me only, Wickey was perfectly content in anybody's company. At first, I thought his trips around the neighborhood might be motivated by friendliness. Later I learned he visited more in the spirit of a meddlesome old woman who just had to know what was going on everywhere and make trouble about it.

That he was not a Chihuahua in any bone of his body was the fact that I finally had to accept. I do not know what he was. In fact, I doubt if his own mother had any definite ideas on the subject. Personally, I think he was by cur out of werewolf.

I suppose I would have jogged along with Wickey indefinitely and made the best of a bad bargain if Wickey had not found his true love. In his case, it was the garbage man. If ever I have seen two kindred souls recognize each other on sight, it was that bit of Old Mexico and the rather sour-smelling gentleman who totes off our table leavings. Inevitably Wickey became a sort of honorary member of our city's disposal system. He even learned to nose off the tops of garbage pails and all his partner had to do was tilt the refuse onto his truck.

I doubt if even Mr. Albert Payson Terhune could have found anything to care for in this onnery dog. I'm sure Mrs. Emily Post would have found him a disgusting little savage. But I don't think Wickey would have minded this a bit. He never seemed to care for the amenities. He still just goes along his sloppy little way, a perfect proof that heredity is stronger than environment.

BETT HOOPER.

Outstanding Commentators On Current Events At Home And Abroad

Fair Enough

By Westbrook Pegler

Gayda's Job Soft

THE SOFTEST JOB in all journalism is that of Virginio Gayda, the official commentator of the Journal of Italy in Rome, who enjoys the rank and emoluments of first interpretator and commentator in the Fascist press, but doesn't have to do a lick of work at his job beyond whipping into popular journalese the ideas which are handed to him by the boss. Gayda's job is better, from the strictly material standpoint, than that of the anonymous American professional editorial writer who angles an argument to conform to office policy, because Mussolini has made a public figure and lower-case dignitary of a hack who otherwise might never have risen above the mass of crummy moochers, typical of Italian journalism, who sit around marble tables in sloppy overcoats with grease on their collars, gnawing horse-meat sausage and chirping for their supper. They are, as a tribe, the most contemptible menials of the whole breed of Fascist parasites who live by the nod, for Italian journalism, when free, was opinionated and daring, and most of those who took service with the Duce sold their manhood for job security, pensions and other bribes.

They were, in the main, the spiritless mediocrities, and such they remain under Fascism.

Il Duce Fought 'Authority As Writer

MUSSOLINI himself having taken the measure of their character in fiat money of his own issue, naturally loathes them. He has a right to his contempt, for when he was a journalist himself he fought authority, sneered in the face of poverty and risk and couldn't be bought. He knows their price, and he knows that, having sold out to him, they would sell out again to Balbo or any other promising rival who might come riding into Rome in a spirited Pullman, as he himself did. He has the same opinion of those nominal Americans who publish Italian papers here in which Americanism is sold out to Fascism for cheap honors and pats on the back from a hand that anytime may hold a knife. A pseudo American who would betray his country to Mussolini for gauds to adorn his vanity would be likely to turn on him, too, should circumstances change. He has far greater respect for men who were beaten to death by his gangs, and men who have languished on Lipari for their principles, than for party journalists who joined him for money that he created by telling the printer to turn the crank.

The professional American editorial writer is selfish and impersonal, and, though he may take artistic pride in his wordage, may still detest the sentiments which he has written for hire, and disown compliments to them. He still may refuse to dine with the boss. Gayda, however, not only writes to orders but accepts the paltry celebrity in which it is necessary to invest him for reasons of diplomatic evasion. He writes with no special skill or other distinction, but with effrontery and efficient obedience to instructions from the boss of Ciano, and is thrown into prominence in Italy and abroad only because it is desired to present the informal insults of the Fascist government in the guise of independent observations by an individual. In return for the use of his name Gayda is well kept, and, in social matters, is permitted to march ahead of some of the lowest orders of Fascist membership, including, of course, certain judges of the courts and trackmen from Guadalajara.

New Deal Boosters Not Like Gayda

THE NAZI'S have nothing quite like him, and the Russians, who did have a Gayda, found it necessary to liquidate theirs last year. Whether by shooting or rustication to Siberia one does not know. Our own New Deal has several stout kiver-to-kiver men, but they are not Gaydas, being New Dealers by conviction and financially independent of the regime, although their copy, at times, bears a resemblance to Gayda's in furious devotion to propositions which they themselves prove wrong by every argument offered to prove them right.

In Gayda's copy it is advisable to ignore the man's name and regard it as the policy of the Fascist government toward this country. He is insulting, bellicose and, just now, through him, Mussolini is attempting to separate the American people from their government, as Woodrow Wilson tried to distinguish between the German people and the Kaiser. It may be preliminary to an attempt to free us. Anyway, it imparts special interest to the activities of Italian organizations in this country, such as the recent first annual dinner of Benito Mussolini Lodge, No. 1768, of the Sons of Italy, at Bethlehem, Pa., at which one of the speakers was the Hon. Frank Trigiani, county supervisor of the WPA, in charge of citizenship and naturalization.

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West Indian Birds Left to Smithsonian

One of the most complete collections of birds of the West Indies has been received by the Smithsonian Institution through a bequest in the will of Dr. Stuart T. Danforth, former professor at the Puerto Rico College of Agriculture, it was announced yesterday.

More than 3,000 specimens are in the collection, including some rare ones. Dr. Danforth spent 13 years on the collection.

Off The Record

By Ed Reed

"Let's pass that guy! Im tired of eating his dust!"

Government Meddling

By Mark Sullivan

Perplexing Headlines

ON THE FIRST page of the New York Times the other day, in adjoining columns, was one of those curious juxtapositions of headlines which add interest to public events, and sometimes throw light on them. One headline was over remarks made by President Roosevelt in a press conference while on his way to his vacation. This headline said:

"Roosevelt Tells Business . . . Confidence Is in Order. An Assuring Tone. No Cause for Misgiving." In his talk Mr. Roosevelt was described as saying that "Business and industry . . . could look forward without any misgivings as to the Administration's objectives in the months ahead."

The other headline was over an address by the president of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, Mr. George H. Davis. In part this headline said: "G. H. Davis Warns New Deal Moves Country Toward the Socialist State." In his talk Mr. Davis said that "Washington is moving surely into the State Capitalism that marks the totalitarian countries of Europe . . . Thus we move straight down the road by which 'business will logically be required to disappear.'"

Here are two assertions, diametrically opposed. Yet not diametrically opposed in an accurate sense. For President Roosevelt's statement is about the future, a declaration of future intention—while the Chamber of Commerce president's statement is about existing conditions. Assuming that President Roosevelt lives up to his declared intention, the statements do not necessarily conflict. The Chamber of Commerce head could be right about the present. Mr. Roosevelt could be right about the future—he has it in his power to make what he says come true.

Davis Could Win Easily In Debate

AS A DEBATE covering present conditions, the Chamber of Commerce head could readily win. He would win by the simple device of merely quoting a very recent public document, the report of the Dies committee on un-American activities, made on January 3 last. This report, among other things, says: "It [the Communist Party] has penetrated the Government itself, with the result that some Communists hold key positions in Federal agencies and projects."

If Communists hold key positions in Federal agencies, and if these Communists are earnestly devoted to their cause, as all Communists are, it must be that they, using the power of the key positions they hold, move toward the Communist objectives. Some of these objectives, as set forth in the Dies committee's report, are: "The Communist Party seeks to sabotage and cripple our economy on every possible front, with a view to its profiting by the resulting economic crisis . . . It aims at the complete confiscation of private property in the means of production, including socialization of the land . . . it seeks ultimately the overthrow of the American form of government as established by the Constitution of the United States."

In a debate between President Roosevelt and the Chamber of Commerce head, the latter could with reason say that so long as "Communists hold any positions in Federal agencies," it is difficult for business to believe they have "no cause for misgiving." Clearly, the report of the Dies committee sustains what Mr. Davis said.

Yet there are signs which support Mr. Roosevelt's assertion that business and industry can "look forward without any misgivings." One sign is in the electric utility field.

In the beginning, the Roosevelt Administration moved against the public utilities along two lines. One line was the correction of flagrant abuses that existed in the industry. Correction of these abuses was not an attack on the American system of privately owned enterprise. It was, quite the contrary, an improvement of the system, an improvement imperatively needed. This line of Administration action about the public utility industry has been substantially completed.

Present Congress Favors Business

THE ADMINISTRATION'S other line of action, carried on mainly through TVA, moved in a direction having the effect of destruction of privately owned electric utilities in some territories. The subsidizing of Government-owned utilities threatened death to privately owned ones. The attack in some territories had the effect of paralysis of growth in all territories. This line of action seems now to have come to an end. TVA has taken the step of purchase, at a price generally regarded as fair, of a privately owned utility that was under the guns of attack. This seems to end the menace of destruction in the territory covered by TVA. As to the rest, Mr. Roosevelt now says there will be no further attempt at destruction. As the account of his press conference puts it, "The President re-emphasized his statement that the Administration had no intention of further expanding its program of Federally subsidized electric power projects . . . There was nothing in the way of going ahead with the program of utility integration and construction."

As to business and industry in the largest sense, the best hope for the future lies not merely in any assurances about Mr. Roosevelt's present state of mind, which in some matters is disturbingly ephemeral. But there is strong assurance in the state of mind that exists in two other quarters. The present Congress is opposed to further attacks on business and industry. And the state of mind of the country, as expressed in the election last November and indicated by other signs, is moving strongly in the conservative direction.

Presently, business and industry will recognize the state of mind of Congress and the country. That will give them assurance about the future.

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Court Rules For And Against Commercial Bank

The District Court of Appeals yesterday split costs equally and divided its findings in favor of both the real estate firm of Boss & Phelps, and Cary A. Hardee, receiver for the Commercial National Bank. The Court earlier had heard an appeal in the case, and ordered it returned to the lower court for finding of fact.

The real estate firm had sought to have deposits of $54,090 set off against its indebtedness of $118,000 at the time the bank went into receivership. The court approved the set-off in the real estate firm's insurance and rent accounts with the bank, and disapproved such action in the collection and sales accounts, holding that the real estate firm acted as agents for others.

Freight Rate Study Bill Introduced by Connally

Senator Tom Connally (Democrat), of Texas yesterday introduced a bill authorizing the Interstate Commerce Commission to study freight rate differentials between Texas and Southwestern territory and other regions "to remove inequalities and discriminations." Southern States are urging such legislation.

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Today And Tomorrow

By Walter Lippmann

The President And Congress

FOR THE past few weeks Mr. Roosevelt has exhibited all the symptoms of a man who badly needs a vacation. At home and abroad for more than a year he has been navigating in stormy waters. He is in need of a rest. He needs to see things again in perspective. He needs to recover his poise.

Mr. Roosevelt is courageous. But that virtue can degenerate into restlessness and stubbornness. He has a very great awareness of the movement of events. But that can degenerate into an impatient estimate of too short a view of the facts. Like the rest of us when we have done too much and are tired, Mr. Roosevelt has been unable recently to keep the defects of his qualities from becoming dominant. So Mr. Borah's advice is very good advice indeed, that the President should not let the latest "crisis" in Europe shorten his vacation.

Too Great A Strain For Any Human

IT MUST BE evident to any one who observes the Washington scene closely that Mr. Roosevelt, like several of his predecessors, conducts the Presidency in a way that puts altogether too great a strain upon the strength of any human being. He is not only the President and head of the state, the Chief Executive and head of the vast administrative machine, the leader of his party and the leader of a faction within the party. Besides all that, he is for practical purposes his own Secretary of State, his own Secretary of the Treasury, his own Secretary of the Navy, and his own Secretary of War.

That is too much. The blunders and misunderstandings of the past month are the direct and obvious result of Mr. Roosevelt's attempt to do too many things at once. He does not really want responsible official advisers. So his decisions have to be taken hurriedly and informally. Because they are taken hurriedly, there is often, as in the case of the French planes, a tendency to use short cuts that are neither desirable nor necessary. Because he does not have a genuine Cabinet, there devolves upon the President himself the enormous amount of explaining and conferring that have to be done if Congress, the press, and the general public are to understand what is happening.

But there are not enough hours in the day in which the President can find out all the facts, decide all the issues, and also keep Congress and the press properly informed. And then, when Mr. Roosevelt finds that they are not informed, or that they have misunderstood, he is too hurried and too weary to explain patiently, and he resorts to epithets.

Coming Election Trying On Patience

AT THE same time is must be admitted that the shadow of the coming national election has created a situation which would try the patience of any man, even of a very patient man, even of a man who had organized the Presidency by delegating genuine authority to a responsible Cabinet. There is, I think, no other government in the world in which the opposition will not allow the Administration in power to discuss with it confidentially the critical issues of war and peace.

Yet that is the situation in Washington today. The peace of the world hangs in the balance; it depends precariously on the decisions which will be taken abroad by relatively few men. To mention a specific example, there is now in the making what might become a full-fledged military and naval alliance between Japan and the Rome-Berlin axis. There is here a possibility which no American President could think of ignoring. Yet he must not sensationalize a possibility that may still be only talk. At a time like that, it would be impossible for a government to blazon in the newspaper headlines all that it learns from its representatives abroad. To do that would be in the highest degree dangerous. For it would arouse passionate excitement all over the world, and would make it infinitely more difficult for the moderating influences in all countries to exert themselves.

Should Take Leaders Into Confidence

But while it would be almost criminally reckless to publish all the partially authenticated information which the Government must weigh and take into account, it is nevertheless necessary in a democratic government that the people should know that the President is not conducting a personal policy. There is only one way that this can be done. It is that the President should take and should be able to take the leaders of the opposition into his confidence. For if the people see that the opposition is participating in the decisions, they have the best assurance they could find that the decisions are national and disinterested.

But the Administration cannot take the opposition into its confidence if the opposition refuses to treat anything as confidential. It requires at least two to cooperate. And if Mr. Roosevelt is by nature a poor co-operator, it is no less true that his opponents in Congress are also poor cooperators. If the President and Congress continue on the present lines, the one refusing to give and the other refusing to receive that full information, which must necessarily include much confidential information, then we shall see here once more and on a grand scale another demonstration of how democracy does not work in critical times.

Remedy Lies With President And People

The remedy lies with the President and with the people. Only the President can raise the level of debate above factional suspicion and partisan bickering. He can do it only if, when he returns from his vacation, he makes it clear by word and act that he means to fix his attention wholly and solely upon the national interest.

The rest will have to be done by the people. It is they who will have to make it clear that they expect their representatives to take the national view, to be critical but not to nag, to examine the national policy but not to sabotage it, to hold Mr. Roosevelt strictly accountable but not to destroy the usefulness of the President of the United States.

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The Once Over

By H. I. Phillips

The American And His Auto

The automobile output, despite all the uncertainties about the immediate future, is up surprisingly. It seems to be fairly evident that no matter where the country is going, it is going by sedan.

It's a funny thing about an American and the automobile. He may be in a deep hole from every angle but he still wants to have a steering wheel in his hand.

He may have holes in his coat and patches on his pants but he wants a car with the upholstery in good condition.

He may be having the struggle of his life to make both ends have license tags.

He may be out of work, his wife may be sick and his kids may be hungry, but all these troubles will seem lighter if nothing is wrong with the flivver.

Elmer Twitchell, the typical American, explained it all today. Elmer is flat broke but he blossomed out in a new sedan. "Of course I'm worried over the future, but I like to do my worrying out in the fresh air," he declared.

"A man don't get anywhere worrying around the house," he continued. "I am one of the best worriers this country ever had, but I am not an indoor worrier. I worry best out in the great open spaces, and an automobile helps me to worry.

"I view the future with alarm but the view is not half so alarming if it is broken up by hot dog stands, roadside rests, pretty scenery and the sight of some other fellow being overhauled by a traffic cop.

"I'm up against it for fair and I don't see how I can make both ends meet this year, but I prefer to figure it out between traffic lights.

"I'm behind in my rent and I'm worried over how I can square things with the landlord, but I can fret better at 50 miles an hour than I can in a rocking chair.

"My grocer notified me he wouldn't extend any more credit if I didn't pay him something on account by last Thursday. I couldn't do that because that was the day I had to pay a down payment on the new car. My conscience bothers me but it bothers me less when I'm behind a windshield."

"But, Mr. Twitchell, could you really afford a new automobile in your present state of finances?" he was asked.

"I dunno," replied Elmer. "That's one of the things I've got to reason out. And I want to reason it out in the new automobile."

Appeal

Ship me somewhere east of Suez—
I'll go any place in Asia—
Where there ain't no news or photos
Of "the lovely Brenda Frazier."
—John Hart.

A Louisiana town is split over a proposed change in the name of a street called Whisky road. Probably somebody wants it called Schnapps street.

"FAGGED OUT—I must rest. I am too tired to wait on my trade—they stand in line. If you want a restaurant here is your chance. Box D-68."—Miami Herald.

Success certainly does wear a feller down, especially in a warm climate.

Those Tiled Restaurants

This department was a little saddened by the recent news that one of the last two white-tile Childs restaurants in New York had closed. Your correspondent liked 'em. They looked like eating places and not a Hollywood movie director's idea of them.

You could spot 'em from afar and, when you entered, you weren't confused. You knew at once that you were in a restaurant and not in the lounge at Roxy's. And no woman ever startled you by looking over the menu and announcing, "I'll have a dry martini with two boiled eggs and some buttered toast. No coffee. Just a can of beer."

Books And Things

By Lewis Gannett

Strike Sermonette

RUTH McKENNEY, she who set us all chuckling last summer with her tales of "My Sister Eileen," is back again, this time in a more serious mood. Her new book is called "Industrial Valley" (Harcourt, $2), and it is the dramatic story of the depression, the first faint-hearted efforts to form a union, the sit-down strikes and the final victory of the United Rubber Workers in Akron, Ohio.

That sounds heavy, statistical, earnest and dull. It isn't. Ruth McKenney is still Ruth McKenney, a hearty girl from Cleveland with a broad, infectious grin behind her freckles. She loves a good scrap, and there were plenty of those in Akron. She has a natural genius for story-telling. She likes folks. She makes no effort to conceal her left sympathies, but her book seems to be, in general, accurate reporting. And it reads like a Dos Passos novel, swifter paced, more tightly knit, and far less somber. Ruth McKenney's chuckle ripples into her grimmest pages.

She offers one introductory statistic, to frame her story. Akron's population is 255,000, and 212,000 of them are native whites. The town is in Ohio, but 152,000 of its citizens were Southern born. The rubber workers, whose story Ruth McKenney tells, came out of the Southern mountains in the boom days after the World War.

Seems Like Yesterday

Sometimes Miss McKenney's story reads like an "Only Yesterday." Mr. Allen in that book made news out of the things that every American knows. He dug into the yesterdays that seem as dead as last year's newspapers. So does Miss McKenney. She punctuates her Akron story with the headline news of Akron's and all the rest of America's newspapers—Buchmanism and technocracy, the Lindbergh baby and the Quints, Mr. Dillinge. and the snake-bit preacher, and the advent of King Edward VIII. She weaves these into her tapestry along with notes on Akron politics, the closing of banks and of schools, Mrs. Hendricks' thoughts while ironing the kids' clothes, and the fatuous speeches and editorials suggesting that we all get together and just will America back to prosperity. Remember them?

She begins back in 1932, when Akron's leading Republican newspaper was calling Franklin D. Roosevelt "as neuter (sic) and colorless a standard bearer as any ever chosen," and neighbors out on Talbot avenue were beginning to grumble against evictions. The "bank holiday" (what a pretty name that was), the wage cuts, the NRA parades, when the blue eagle flew proudly on every store window and at the newspaper mastheads, the return first of legal 3.2 beer, then of honest hard liquor, Father Coughlin in his "F. D. R. or ruin" days—they all march across Miss McKenney's pages.

Then she settles down to her real business—the story of the union. There had been a sort of Central Labor Union in Akron, but no one took seriously the idea of organizing the big rubber factories, until a June noon in 1933 when a heavy-shouldered man with a thatch of bright red hair strolled up to the Goodyear factory gates as the whistle blew and began handing out leaflets to the men shuffling past the iron-spiked fence. "The NRA gives workers the right to organize," they read. "Come to the mass meeting at the armory." In those days rubber workers were almost afraid to accept sheets of printed paper within sight of their factory.

Some Heroes Of the Unions

The red-haired man was Wilmer Tate, 48, who in 1916 had sold his Iowa farm and brought his wife and his four children to Akron, expecting to make his eternal fortune. Tate never heard of a union until some years after he came to Akron; but he became the secretary of Akron's Central Labor Union, the vice president of the Rubber Workers, and the continuing force behind the slow drive for unionization. He is the chief hero of Ruth McKenney's story. There are others: James McCartan, a gray-haired old-time Socialist who had sent his kids to Akron University and preached labor unions for 30-odd years; an electrician, a plumber, and a Hungarian printer named Alex Eigenmacht, who, as Ruth McKenney tells the story, was the inventor of the sit-down strike. He remembered something the Serbs had done in Serajevo away back in 1914; it is almost the only European note in Miss McKenney's story. And there's a Communist in a lumberjacket, Bill Keller.

For sheer dramatic excitement, for effective organization as a story, there isn't one among all the strike novels to match this essentially true story. Ruth McKenney might well have omitted the starry-eyed sermonette which she tacks on at the end, and a few scratchy lines in which she goes out of her way to follow a "party line." But in this book she establishes herself as a writer. "My Sister Eileen" might have been an autobiographical fluke; "Industrial Valley" is a solid and difficult achievement.

Six States to Protest Chicago Water Increase

Cleveland, Feb. 20 (AP).—Attorneys general of six Great Lakes States agreed today to carry before the House Rivers and Harbors Committee their fight against a bill to increase the amount of water Chicago diverts from Lake Michigan.

Beyond Suez

By Barnet Nover

France A Handful Of Sand

LIKE GREAT BRITAIN, if in lesser degree, France is not only a European and an African power, but an Asiatic power as well. French Indo-China, for instance, has an area 30 per cent greater than that of continental France.

For this reason it is of importance to the republic to have the control of the short route from Europe to India and the Far East in the hands of a friendly power. Were this route dominated by a hostile nation, France's control of her considerable colonial domain in North Africa would be threatened. So would her possession of Indo-China.

Indo-China is already threatened from the east. The Japanese occupation of the island of Hainan, which fronts the Gulf of Tongking, is a pistol pointed at Indo-China. But as long as it is possible for the French authorities to send reinforcements to that colony, Indo-China can be defended. The danger to Indo-China would be much greater than it already is were sea communications between that area and France cut off or made difficult.

AS IT HAPPENS, the fate of Indo-China is not, at the moment, of primary concern to France. She is much more worried by the Italian threat to her North African possessions, particularly Tunisia. But Tunisia, Morocco, Algeria, French Somaliland and Indo-China are all in the same package, tied together by the ribbon of sea power.

Since Trafalgar, France has had no ambition to succeed Great Britain as the mistress of the seas. She has voluntarily resigned herself to a permanently inferior role as a sea power. But she has never shown any inclination to permit her fleet to become inferior to that of Italy. For while Great Britain is an ally, Italy is a rival.

That was true as far back as 1881 when the French seizure of Tunisia so embittered the Italian kingdom as to throw her into the arms of her ancient enemy, Austria. That is particularly true today with Italian spokesmen raising a clamor for Tunisia, Corsica, Nice, Savoy and Djibouti.

France Depends On British Sea Power

AT THE PRESENT moment, then, French communications with North Africa and the Far East depend in part on her own naval power and, in part, on the considerably greater naval power of Great Britain. The British fleet is an umbrella which has tolerantly given shelter not only to British overseas possessions but also to those of France, the Netherlands and Portugal as well. Nor would Great Britain be averse to including Italy in that charmed circle. Indeed, the Anglo-Italian accord of last year rests on the assumption that Italy is ready to join.

But is it? Mussolini's Spanish adventure gives the answer and this answer is wholly negative. We can dismiss as eyewash the statement that Mussolini's interest in the Spanish struggle was only ideological. The Duce was after bigger game than the destruction of what he charged was Communist influences in the Iberian peninsula. What he sought and, with Franco victorious, hopes to get, is either a strategic foothold in Spain or the Spanish island (Majorca is today and for many months has been to all intents and purposes an Italian and naval seaplane base) or a leverage with which to extract concessions out of Great Britain and France that would advance his primary purpose, which is to increase Italian naval power in the Mediterranean.

TUNISIA is only of minor value as a colony. It can be of surpassing value to Italy for strategic reasons. With Sicily and the Island of Pantelleria already in Italian hands, an Italian Tunisia would give Italy the control of the sea roads between Gibraltar and the Suez Canal. In Bizerta, now French, the kingdom would have one of the best naval bases in the Mediterranean. Of course, the French are just as eager to hold on to it.

The channel between Sicily and Tunisia is the second of the narrow passages on the all important short route to India of which the first is the Straits of Gibraltar. The third is the Suez Canal, safely in British hands and likely to remain so. The fourth is the extremely narrow Straits of Bab-el-Mandeb, the passageway between the Red Sea and the Gulf of Aden.

It is not surprising that, almost from the very moment Italy took possession of Eritrea, she has shown a very considerable interest in the Arab kingdom of Yemen, on the other side of the Red Sea from that colony. It is also not surprising that the British have done everything possible to counter efforts to make the Yemen either an ally or a protectorate of Italy. Yemen as a British sphere of influence was the necessary corollary to Aden as a British protectorate. By the same token, the French are not in the least willing to clear out of Djibouti, which, as the map shows, is not far distant from the Straits of Bab-el-Mandeb.

France Shows Signs of Fight

THE FRENCH have now gone further. Anticipating possible aggression by Italy in the direction of Djibouti, the only decent outlet for Ethiopia, they have reinforced the garrison of French Somaliland. And, last week, French troops occupied 308 square miles of territory north of Djibouti, ceded to Italy under the Laval-Mussolini agreement of 1935, but which Italy never took over. Incidentally, the Italian government scrapped that treaty last December.

The territory in question faces the strait. It has strategic if no economic value. Its possession clinches control of the passageway from the Red Sea to the Gulf of Aden. At almost any other time, therefore, a French government would be eager to undo the profitless generosity displayed toward Italy by M. Laval.

Coming when it does, however, this action is of special significance. It shows that France feels secure enough in her position to tempt the Duce's thunderbolts. For the first time in years France is not retreating in the face of Fascist bullying, but is advancing. And while France has chosen a relatively insignificant stage for this display of courage and firmness, after having shown weakness in areas of infinitely more vital concern to her, the fact remains that this time there has been not a retreat but advance.

It's a small straw but it may show how the international winds are beginning to blow.

Barkley Manager Confirmed As Judge With Lifting of Rule

A. F. of L. Protest Against Miller Ignored as Action Is Pushed With Few Senators Present

By the Associated Press.

The Senate confirmed yesterday President Roosevelt's nomination of Shackelford Miller, jr., as Federal district judge in the Western District of Kentucky.

Democratic Leader Barkley, of Kentucky, for whom Miller served as campaign manager last year, obtained unanimous Senate consent to waive the rule requiring nominations to wait one day after committee approval.

Barkley said the Kentucky judgeship had been vacant for several months and so prompt action was needed.

Only a few Senators were in the chamber at the time.

[Influential Congressmen, the United Press said, will ask President Roosevelt to withdraw his nomination of Thomas F. Amlie, former Wisconsin Representative, to the Interstate Commerce Commission, on the ground that he cannot be confirmed.—Editor's note.]

A union labor contention that Barkley had made a "promise" of a Federal judgeship to his 1938 campaign manager was filed earlier with the Senate Judiciary Committee.

Despite the protest, the committee approved the nomination.

"Knowing of some of the trades that were made at the beginning of Senator Barkley's re-election campaign," Edward H. Weyler, secretary of the State's A. F. L. organization, wrote the committee, "we do not think this promise of the Federal judgeship to Miller was very ethical."

Weyler declared he had a letter from Barkley saying:

"I could not in good conscience ask Mr. Miller to sacrifice nearly a year of his time in managing my campaign for re-election and then deny him any indorsement when he wanted to be appointed Federal judge."

The committee also approved the nomination of Herschel W. Arant, dean of the Law School of Ohio University, as a judge of the Sixth Circuit Court of Appeals.

Arant's approval came without public hearings, although Senator Donahey (Democrat), of Ohio, said he would not support confirmation. His Republican colleague, Taft, recommended confirmation.

The Judiciary Committee also approved the nomination of John T. Cahill for the post of United States attorney for the Southern District of New York, to succeed Lamar Hardy, resigned.

Asserting Miller was connected with the Reconstruction Finance Corporation in Kentucky while serving as Barkley's campaign director, Weyler said that when Miller resigned last September "Mr. Miller's law partner was appointed to the vacancy on the RFC.

"Surely this could not be construed as good government or a great sacrifice on the part of Mr. Miller," Weyler wrote.

Weyler said a letter February 4 from William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, said the organization "will vigorously oppose the appointment of Shackelford Miller."

Nonresident Relief Clients Increase

More nonresidents applied for relief last month than at any time in the last year, the Public Assistance Division disclosed in its monthly report released yesterday.

The report noted a 23 per cent decrease in applications from local persons in January, compared with 1,021 applications in December.

U. S. Lines Only Bidder On 3 Ship Properties

Only one bid has been received for charter or sale of three Government-owned steamship lines, the Maritime Commission revealed yesterday. The lines, comprising 16 vessels, include America-France, Oriole, and American Hampton Roads-Yankee. The lone bid came from the United States Lines; three other companies declined to make an offer.

Coeds Raise Scholarship Funds

Cherry Blossom Sale Swells Fund Post Staff Photo.

The blossoms, symbolic of George Washington, are sold each year by the Masonic Club at George Washington University to raise funds for scholarships. Three coeds (left to right), Estelle Gates, Mary Ellen Degan and Patricia Wehr, make a sale to Provost, William C. Ruediger. The Educational Foundation of the National League of Masonic Clubs sponsor the sale.

Advocates Stronger Air Force

Associated Press Photo.

Urges United States to Speed Air Defense

Maj. Gen. Henry H. Arnold (right), chief of the Army Air Corps, told delegates to the National Aviation Forum that the United States must arm for air defense immediately. He is shown at luncheon in Mayflower Hotel with Representative Joseph Starnes and Mrs. Mabel Walker Willebrant

Americanization Campaign Opened

Mrs. William N. Doaks, national chairman, opened the Americanization campaign yesterday of the Boys Republic at headquarters in Arlington, Va. She holds flag code which will be presented to schools throughout the country

Associated Press WIREPHOTO.

Oxygen Masks Aid High-Flying Passengers

Airplane passengers, 20,000 feet above Minneapolis, Minn., chatted and smoked in these unusual masks. Dr. W. R. Lovelace, of the Mayo Foundation, tested the gadgets. He predicts they will open the way to commercial flying through the substratosphere

Infant Discarded, Mother Hunted

Nurse Ada Palmer holds in her arms the 4-pound baby girl left in a waste basket in a downtown Boise, Idaho, department store, shortly after its premature birth. Six persons have asked to adopt her while police continue search for mother

Hine Junior High Pupils Rehearse Lincoln Play Post Staff Photos.

A play titled, "When Abe Lincoln Kept Store," portraying the well-known phase in the life of the great President is being rehearsed by pupils at Hine Junior High School. At left—Doris Young, as Aunt Hattie and Jean Womack, as Ole Mose, gather 'round the wood stove. Above—Florence Koegel as Caroline, Bruce McDade as Abraham Lincoln and Jack Shnider as Zip are shown in store scene

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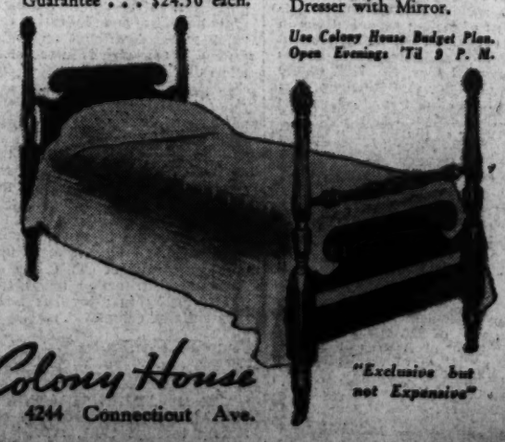

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Mary Haworth's Mail

Causes of Chronic Alcoholism Tentatively Evaluated By Psychiatrist, Who Outlines Possible Cures

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: I have read with interest your column of February 13, in which the problem of the chronic alcoholic is discussed. Since this is such an important problem, especially in its social implications, we will want, I am sure, to interpret it to the public along lines based on the present day knowledge of the subject. We have been particularly interested in this problem and consequently I should like to present to you the considered judgment of the Washington Institute of Mental Hygiene.

Chronic alcoholism is a very complex subject having so many variables, in terms of origin and background, that I feel it is hazardous to generalize upon it too much. I believe that the detrimental effects of it have been given much more attention than the causes upon which it is based. It is in an attempt to evaluate the latter that I am writing this letter

We must first of all, I think, clearly differentiate between the average social drinker and the chronic alcoholic. It is the judgment of reliable investigators and those who have had lengthy experience with alcoholics that in every case the chronic alcoholic has developed that pattern on the basis of factors within his own personality. In other words, chronic alcoholism is the personalized reaction of an individual to stresses within his own life which he is not able to meet in a more serviceable or realistic way.

Like any other person who is in difficulties, he can hardly be helped through a process of reasoning, logic, criticism or condemnation. Police courts are becoming increasingly aware that the chronic alcoholic is not helped by a system of fines and imprisonment. In fact, such handling often degrades him more, and so isolates him from the larger social group that it pushes him further into his problem. Chronic alcoholics, like neurotics, are generally unaware of the deeper meaning of their drinking. Like most persons, they look for and find something or other upon which to fasten blame. This is not done with any intent to deceive. They just do not know what is the real cause of their drinking.

It is part of the psychiatric or psychoanalytic technique to help people to recognize the things within themselves that need to be worked out and thereby cease projecting them upon the environment. The next step is to help them to face difficult and unpleasant situations, which often is a long process. During the period of treatment the satisfactory relationship which the chronic alcoholic has established with the psychiatrist or psychoanalyst is often sufficient to give him the support he needs in a critical moment.

Of course, it is necessary that any real chronic alcoholic must want to be helped. If he is forced into getting help through all kinds of external social pressures, he still may not be in the situation of being helped. On the other hand, if, through a sense of guilt or remorse or a sense of tremendous inferiority, he cannot allow the situation to go on indefinitely, but must be relieved of the problem, then he is in the very best kind of a situation in which he can be helped. After he has sought and received some help he may backslide, which is not so much a manifestation of giving up the attempt as it is that he needs even more support to carry on.

There is a large group, perhaps, who are not reached in this manner, but in another way. There are instances where a chronic alcoholic has been helped through a group who have been able to work out their own problem of alcoholism. There are many elements that enter into it. As a rule, a man who has been an alcholic and has recovered has a much more tolerant, sympathetic and understanding point of view than one who has not gone through that process. His approach to a chronic alcoholic is often of a kind that strikes a responsive chord. Besides, the recovered alcoholic gives the patient a feeling of acceptance and status. But the relationship goes even beyond this. Once the patient has begun to respond, he is helped to see that he is avoiding things in life, sidestepping them, and has rationalized his problem. By a complex process he comes to recognize the more positive aspects of relationship between man and man, which sometimes takes on a lofty meaning to him.

Then there is another group who probably never can be expected to go through such procedures as outlined above, but who, in a moment of great stress—such as the death of a loved one—will, through this highly emotional experience, be able to marshal all of his inner resources and handle the problem of alcoholism once and for all. And, finally, there is still another group who, unable to grasp the meaning of their drinking or to work it out, may find a solution through a religious experience. I need not add that there are still others who have not been helped by any techniques that have yet been devised.

This, in substance, is our thinking in regard to the problem of chronic alcoholism. We realize that much more has to be done, but perhaps a wider understanding of this problem, and the development of other techniques in the future, may help to solve it . . . We are deeply appreciative of your interest in psychiatric treatment of persons who write you, and we shall always wish to help you in clarifying a situation where we can be of assistance . . . Very truly yours,

DIRECTOR, W. I. M. H.

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An assortment of rubber bands comes in handy for the kitchen. Use them for holding waxed paper over dishes of food stored in the refrigerator, for sealing tops of puddings for steaming and to hold heavy waxed paper securely over rising bread dough. They are also useful to hold up long sleeves while working and to keep the pages open in the cook book.

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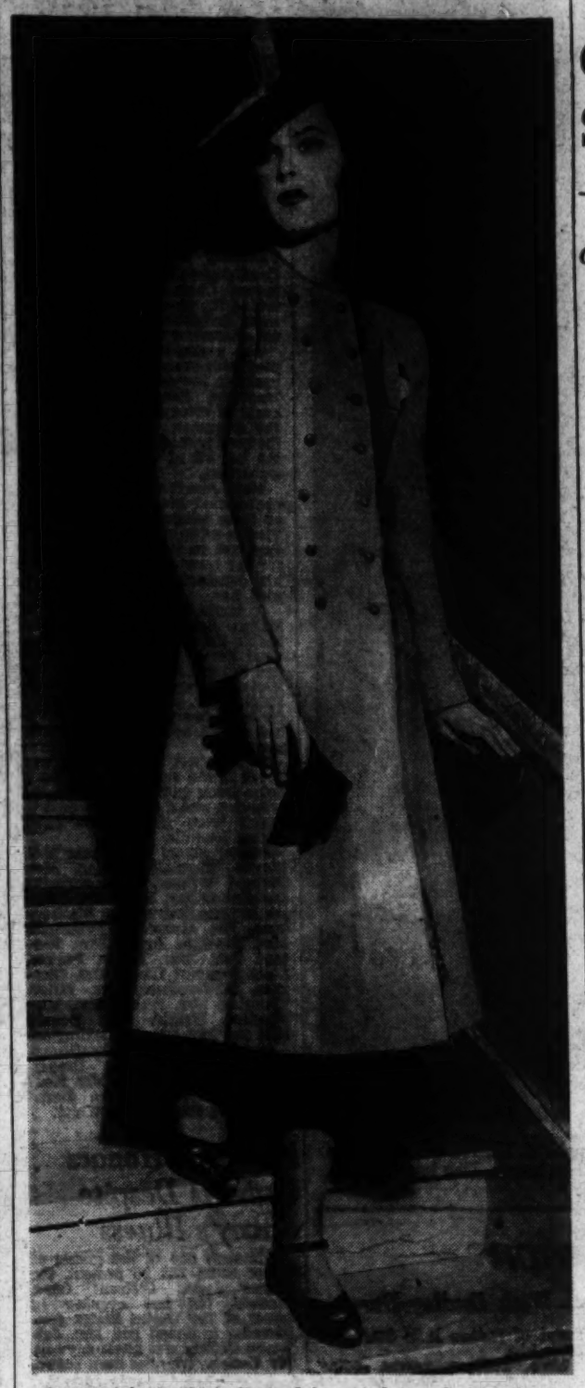

Dusty pink, in the softest of imported tweeds is gallantly worn by Peggy Townsend, debutante and chanteuse (above). The only adornment to the chic severity of her reefer is the double squad of buttons which trims the gored front. Miss Townsend is young enough to wear this collarless, broad-shouldered model, but it is equally suitable for the mature woman. A stole of sables or baum martens would touch off the picture perfectly for the older woman. The bird-pierced Breton gives punch to the ensemble for the younger set, as was attested at a recent fashion showing at the Shoreham Hotel

Your Figure, Madame!

By Ida Jean Kain

New Food Habits Will Cut Weight 15 Pounds By Easter and Insure Svelte Figure

YOU CAN'T be set in your ways and lose 15 pounds between now and Easter. What you need is a new set of food habits—the kind that will let you go right along slimming down as if it were the most natural thing in the world.

Most excess weight is easily traced to a weakness for the carbohydrates, and any well-planned reducer's menu operates on the principle of few carbohydrates, fewer fats and the optimum of the protective foods. Naturally, you miss some of the things you have been eating.

But whenever you have a hunger pang, you will notice that it is accompanied by a vision of strawberry shortcake topped with whipped cream, or steaming mince pie, with maybe a slice of cheese on the side. If you were really hungry, any kind of food—even head lettuce with reducer's dressing—would seem very delicious.

Fortunately, you don't have these temptations for longer than a week. With most reducers, the appetite begins to behave itself after the first three days. There is an old, threadbare saying that you can get used to anything—and it certainly applies to food. You will find you have a growing appreciation of the foods that make for normal weight.

You don't, necessarily, have to hold yourself to a set of somebody's menus. Let's start with breakfast, usually a catch-as-catch-can meal: Have orange juice, one slice of toast with the butter spread thin so that it does not exceed 50 calories, a poached egg and coffee with one teaspoon of sugar and one of cream.

There's a good breakfast! It furnishes the protein you need for strength but no excess fat or starch.

The big change from your habitual luncheon is in leaving out the dessert. This is quite a step for those of you whose luncheon has consisted mainly of dessert. But you have other things . . . clear soup with a cottage cheese salad and buttered roll; or, lean meat, one vegetable, a salad and crisp wafers; or, if you prefer, a meat sandwich made with mustard, a chopped green salad and a glass of skim milk.

Serve Lean Meat

Dinner should always consist of a liberal serving of lean meat, fish or fowl, two vegetables, a roll, one pat of butter, fruit and skim milk.

Those three meals are composed almost wholly of the protective foods and, to further assure an optimum of these elements, you should also have daily one vitamin A. B. D capsule. When you form the habit of eating according to your needs, reducing will become surprisingly easier.

BALANCED SLIMMING MENU CALORIES

BREAKFAST	
Orange juice, ½ glass	80
Poached egg on toast	150
Coffee, 1 teaspoon cream, 1 rounded teaspoon sugar	80
	350
LUNCHEON	
Bouillon	30
Celery and carrot sticks	10
Broiled hamburger on toasted bun	200
	240
3:30 P. M.	
1 glass skim milk	80
DINNER	
Tomato juice cocktail	35
Broiled whitefish—lemon	175
Broccoli	80
Malted butter, 1 teaspoon	33
Cole slaw	25
Apple pie, 3" at circum.	200
	608
TOTAL CALORIES FOR DAY	1,178

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The Gentler Sex

By Malvina Lindsay

On the Streetcar

Clap In and Clap Out

Every seat is occupied—with one person. As you walk down the aisle, you feel a double battery of eyes upon you—suspicious, menacing. "Don't you dare sit down by me!" each seat holder seems to be warning you. Nobody moves over.

All the seats but two are occupied by women who have spread either their bulk or their packages over three-fourths of the parking space. One over-sized man occupies seven-eighths of another seat. The only full half of a seat available is by the second man. He is thin, middle-aged, nondescript.

Your first impulse is to sit down by the thin man. Yet—what would the other women think? Worse still—what would the man himself think?

Yes, a truly genteel woman entering a streetcar would seek a seat with another woman, even though she had to sit on her imagination. You hastily appraise the situation, start to sit with a woman who seems a little less expansive than the others, find she has the tail of her coat spread over what you had thought would be sitting space. You hastily retreat, sinking onto about 6 inches of space beside a completely relaxed housewife in a bulky fur coat. She does not move over.

You sit precariously on your ledge of seat, getting more and more enraged. Just for a little bit you would jump up as if your seatmate were a leper and go and sit with the thin man. Still, that might look—well, sort of funny. Anyway, surely she will move over in a minute.

She does not move over. A sudden lurch of the street car almost throws you off your seat. A flood of rage sweeps over you. You rise and stride to the seat of the thin man, sit down defiantly beside him.

You feel him look you over questioningly. Well, just let him think what he wants to! You sense the eyes of all the women in the car turned upon you. For a moment you feel like an adventuress, then like a woman with a scarlet letter on her breast. Oh well, let them think what they please!

At the next stop a huge dominant woman—also in a bulky fur coat—enters. Oh, if she would only sit down by one of those women who refused to move over—if she would only sit down by your ex-seatmate! You wait breathlessly. She sails down the aisle, surveys the situation calmly, then majestically plops down beside your former partner, almost obscuring her.

Your ex-seatmate comes to life, straightens up indignantly. Both women wiggle, push and squirm, exchange dirty looks, then settle down like neatly packed sardines.

You find yourself humming happily under your breath as the streetcar glides along.

Toonerville Trolley

You have just nine minutes to get to the bank before it closes. Well, if the car can just make a little time—still the motorman doesn't look the type . . .

There now, the light has turned green! Why on earth doesn't he go on? Now he's waking up—oh, of course that automobile had to go get in the way! If you could just have all the motorists in the world by the throat for a minute! . . . Now he's going again, moseying along like a snail. Just imagine such a ride in New York, Chicago—any other city. If he can only make that next green light before it turns red—yes, he's going to—no, there's some dumb man waiting to get on. Well, hurry up, Grandpa—oh, it's turned yellow!

Seven minutes left! Is he going to make the next green light? No, he's stopping. It's some stupid woman . . . Well, hurry up, sister . . . Oh, she would have to stand there gabbing "Then this isn't the right car? . . . Well, where do I take the Chestnut Park? . . . Well, then, where do I transfer? . . .")

Well, for heaven's sakes, sister, get on or off or do something. Why are such women permitted by their relatives to leave home? . . . Oh, now the light's yellow again! All right, sister, just go ahead and talk all day if you want to.

Five minutes! . . . Oh, heavens, someone's ringing the bell to get off! Why can't people stay put? . . . Well, all right, the passenger's off, why doesn't he go on? . . . Are there any life statistics on motormen? Surely they all live to be 100.

Three minutes—and you're off. You stumble from the car groggily . . . look around dazed for a moment. You have just aged ten years but—you'll make it!

Menus for Today

By Alice Clayton

The Post Food Editor.

(Menus using week-end leftovers.)

BREAKFAST

Chilled Prunes and Orange Slices
Ready Cooked Corn Medley
(use two or three leftover cereals)
French Toast Topped with Brown Sugar
Hot Coffee Milk for Children

LUNCHEON

Celery and Carrot Soup
Toast Points
Pickle Relish
Hot Tea with Lemon
Chocolate Nut Pudding
Top Cream

DINNER

Cold Sliced Roast Chutney
Browned Parsnip Cakes
Creamed Cauliflower
Graham Bread Grape Jelly
Waldorf Salad, Cream Dressing
Hot Coffee
Lemon Ice Dark Spice Cake

A Woman's New York

By Alice Hughes

New York, Feb. 20.

THERE IS something faintly repulsive to me about the name, "The Association for the Relief of Respectable Aged and Indigent Females." Why can't they call such a place just a Home for Old Dames? But they never do. Whatever the name is, our institution celebrated the 125th anniversary of its founding the other day, and I made it my business to visit the Indigent Females on this gala occasion. The place goes way back—to 1814, which was ten months before the end of the War of 1812.

The old ladies are a chipper lot, grateful for city life and, as one put it, they prefer Broadway to the country. At present there are 120 guests—they must be unmarried or widowed, at least 60 years old, and of good birth and education. These restrictions bar out a lot of us. I know I shall never make the grade.

On the whole, the old ladies lead a very pleasant life. In good weather they go into the garden, or even venture to the theater or the movies. When the weather is bad they play bridge, listen to lectures or concerts, read or bend their good ears to the new-fangled radio. Moreover, they are regular patrons of the neighborhood beauty shops.

The oldest guest is Mrs. Hattie Farriss, who has reached 95 in good shape. But my favorite of all the old girls was Mrs. Kate Morris, who was on our stage 70 years ago, and now, at 83, recalls with pleasure the shows in which she appeared in those distant days. She well remembers John Drew, and the grandmother of the Bennett girls, which is certainly going back. After we had had a slice of birthday cake and enjoyed the light of the candles, we went our way much the richer for an afternoon spent with the Aged and Indigent Females.

GIRL ABOUT TOWN—The comedy hit, "Kiss the Boys Goodbye," has reached the eminence of three companies. The first company, with Helen Claire, continues its Broadway run. The second troupe is playing the big cities, with Lucia Lull as Cindy Lou Bethany, while both World's Fairs will have a third company, headed by Ann Farleigh. Mighty fine jobs for these girls, all of whom must have a Southern accent you could cut with a knife.

One of the favorite pursuits in this half-witted town is picking the most beautiful girl—of what, nobody knows. Now it is the Artists and Writers Club who have chosen someone they call a "Modern Venus." This astonishing girl is named Nina McDougald, and the prize for her magnificence will be two weeks at Palm Beach. Just to protect her, no less than 50 artists will accompany her on this junket.

To change to a happier subject, the annual carnation show is now in progress here, with 30,000 blooms on exhibition. Five thousand people turned up for the opening day, and I am certain they were well rewarded. The 1939 models present flashing splotches of deep orange, golden yellow and purplish maroon.

Spring hits the feet as well as the rest of the anatomy, and I have watched the colors of the vernal brogans. They are soft, for one thing. One of the best bets is "terra rosa"—a rosy member of the rust family. You can get it in calf or suede. Taffy is sure to be another spring favorite, with black or navy clothes.

Whalebones Stiffen Spring Garments

Paris (AP).—Fashions have stiffened under the influence of whale-boned jackets and starched skirts.

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Capital Society:

Mrs. Stone Too Busy For More Novels Now

Sails March 1 for Paris, Where Husband Will Serve as Naval Attache, But Will Have No Time for Writing in a Garrett

By Hope Ridings Miller,
The Post Society Editor.

A REST CURE from writing is what novelist Grace Zaring Stone (Mrs. Ellis Stone) prescribed for herself some time ago. It was so pleasant, she has continued it—to the amazement of her friends and the consternation of her reading public which enjoyed "The Bitter Tea of General Yen" and "The Cold Journey" and has been impatiently awaiting another novel from her pen.

HOPE R. MILLER

Just when she expects to resume literary activity and turn out another novel, she will not say. "There's too much else to do now," she averred yesterday. She and Capt. Stone are guests of Capt. and Mrs. W. R. Munroe and will remain in Washington until the end of the week when they will be off to New York for a brief stay before sailing for France on March 1.

Since she joined her husband here a few days ago, they have been entertained at a continual round of parties and their calendar from now right up to the minute they leave is jammed with engagements. This evening, however, they will take time out from being feted to attend the Mardi Gras ball of the Navy Relief Society at the Sail Loft, going there after a dinner planned for them.

As you know, Capt. Stone is going to Paris to assume his duties as Naval Attache at our Embassy there. The Stones have lived at a number of points around the world—including Java, China, New Zealand, Australia and Mexico—and Paris will not be new to them, "but it will be interesting," Mrs. Stone said.

Her writing activity since publication of "The Cold Journey" in 1934 has been restricted chiefly to short stories. She declines to divulge whether she has another novel in mind; but chances are, she has. Anyway, I remember an interview I had with her several years ago when she said there had been many times she wished she "could retire to a secluded attic in Paris and lead the proverbial writer's existence—drinking coffee and writing all night by the guttering glow of a candle and having a whole chapter finished by dawn each morning." But now that she's on her way to Paris, the chance of a garret existence is just as remote as ever. As the wife of a naval attache, she will find social duties taking up much of her time. Anyway, though she is making no promises, we're still hoping that sooner or later she will get back to writing novels.

TRAVEL NOTES: Some people have all the fun. Take Mrs. Donald Richberg, for example. She's now completing plans for a trip that makes all of us purple with envy. On Sunday she will be off to San Antonio, Tex., to join her husband (he's now on a business trip to San Francisco), and from there they will go to Mexico City for a stay that "may be a week, or may be a month." Anyway, there'll be a flock of "farewell" parties for popular Mrs. Richberg, among them a luncheon to be given Thursday by Mrs. Arthur Henning.

Mrs. Edward C. Moran, jr., wife of the maritime commissioner, will leave Friday for New York and will sail from there Saturday on the Exochorda for a Mediterranean cruise. Her itinerary calls for stopovers in France, Italy, Greece and Egypt and includes a trip through the Holy Land. She will return to Washington April 12.

MORE TRIPPING TRIVIA: Speaking of going places—Barbara Bolling and Adele Bunker haven't yet sailed for Europe. For first one reason then three, their start has been delayed several times. But now plans are definitely set for departure on the Ile de France Thursday. They will spend much time in Moscow with Miss Bunker's mother, Signora Rosso, but they also will make quite a tour of central and southern Europe before returning in mid-summer.

Business instead of pleasure will take Dr. Henry F. Grady on a quick trip to Europe early next month. As American member of the Economic Committee of the League of Nations, he will sail for Geneva, March 11. A couple of days earlier he and Mrs. Grady will go to New York, but she will not accompany him abroad. He expects to return to Washington the latter part of March or early in April.

Meanwhile, Mrs. Grady also is completing some travel plans. She will be off early next month for Missouri where she is scheduled to make a couple of speeches. And, incidentally, when it comes to speeches, Lucretia Del Valle Grady is tops.

RECENT ARRIVALS: Mr. and Mrs. Herbert May, who divide their time between this country and Geneva, arrived in Washington last night after a vacation at White Sulphur, W. Va. Their visit here will be brief (they are leaving Friday) but they will be widely entertained during their stay. Mr. May is a member of both international control boards on opium and also has worked as adviser on the Evian committee on refugees. Among parties being planned for them is a dinner to be given tomorrow evening by Mrs. Howell Moorhead whose other guests also will be notables who have "seen service" in various capacities at Geneva. Included in the company will be Clarence Streit, formerly New York Times correspondent at Geneva, whose book, "Union Now," has just been published.

PARTY PLANS: Mme. Ertegun has invitations out for a luncheon next Tuesday . . . Mrs. D. Worth Clark will entertain at a similar event March 2. . . . Representative and Mrs. Harry Coffee will give a dinner this evening at the Shoreham Hotel . . . Mrs. John Gregg will be hostess at a tea next Tuesday . . . Mrs. Robert Goodale will entertain at a small cocktail party this afternoon in her Georgetown home . . . Mrs. Carroll L. Stewart has issued invitations for a dinner on March 6.

Brejskas Are Hosts At Dinner Party

The Counselor of the Czecho-Slovakian Legation and Mme. Brejska were hosts at dinner last evening.

They will entertain again at a buffet supper tomorrow evening, when their guests will include members of the official, diplomatic and residential circles.

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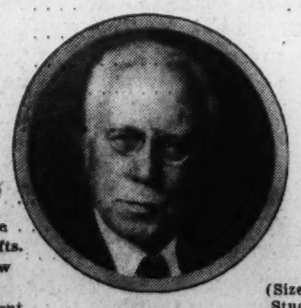

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Mrs. J. B. Shaw Parker, who at present is visiting in Peterborough, N. H., recently came to Washington from New York City, where she formerly made her home. She has taken a house in Georgetown at 3304 O street

Mrs. Byron To Entertain

Mrs. William D. Byron, wife of the Representative from the Sixth District of Maryland, will be "at-home" this afternoon, from 4 to 6, at their residence at 2134 Kalorama road. This will be the last in a series of open "at-homes" given by Mrs. Byron this season.

Mrs. Lansdale G. Sasscer, wife of the new Representative from Maryland, will receive with Mrs. Byron, and will be the guest of honor for the afternoon.

At the tea table during the afternoon will be Mrs. Arthur Vandenberg, Miss Margaret Wade, Mrs. Russell Train, Mrs. Edward Burrows, jr., Miss Lydia Loring, Mrs. David Winebrener, Mrs. Joseph C. Byron, Mrs. David Byron, Mrs. Paul Porter, Mrs. C. Goodloe Edgar, Mrs. William C. Walsh, Mrs. William Preston Lane, Mrs. Robert McC. Smith, Mrs. Robert Walsh and Mrs. A. B. Peters.

Following the tea, Representative and Mrs. Byron will give a small dinner in honor of the Attorney General of Maryland and Mrs. William C. Walsh.

Mrs. Morgenthau Returns to Capital From Fishkill, N.Y.

Mrs. Henry Morgenthau, jr., returned to Washington yesterday after spending the week-end at the Morgenthau farm near Fishkill, N. Y.

Prior to going there she accompanied Mrs. Roosevelt to Ithaca, where they attended exercises in connection with Farm and Home Week at Cornell University. Mrs. Roosevelt, who is now in New York, will return to Washington next week.

About The Town

With Dudley Harmon

WITH tomorrow the beginning of Lent, we predict that society's chief form of entertainment for the next 40 days and nights will be small dinners and large musicales. There's something generally considered so unfrivolous about the latter that a party of 200 people, with all the customary trimmings, seems not to violate the Lenten spirit so long as a flautist, cellist, pianist or other musician goes along with it. At least this time last year, hardly a week passed without an assortment of big musicales.

DUDLEY HARMON

Society will certainly turn out full force for the concert which the Friends of Music will give March 1 for Mrs. Elizabeth Sprague Coolidge, donor of the Coolidge auditorium in the Library of Congress and one of music's leading patrons.

LADY LINDSAY and her social secretary, Miss Irene Boyle, are ankle-deep in passepartout and other equipment these days. They are converting into slides over 100 colored photographs which the wife of the British envoy made on her recent trip to California and Arizona.

LUCILE SWAN, the peripatetic sculptress, whose work was included in a recent exhibition of the Washington Gallery of the Museum of Modern Art, is in town again and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Carter Vincent. She is en route to New York where she will do the portrait statuette of a young niece of Bella Spewack, the playwright who, with Sam Spewack, is responsible for "Once in a Lifetime," the script of "Leave it to Me," and other hits.

Most children regard being obliged to sit for their portraits with as much sullen hatred as they do being made to practice finger exercises on the piano and other disagreeable chores. But posing for Miss Swan is different—instead of having to sit rigidly staring into space, they can play with their toys, read, or chat.

WHILE living in Peking, Miss Swan "did" the children of Ambassador Nelson Johnson, who in the troubled months since has traveled up and down the Yangtze with the portrait statuettes invariably clutched under one arm. Other sitters for Miss Swan include Mrs. Cecil Lyon, a sister of Mrs. J. Pierrepont Moffat, and the young children of Mrs. Augustus van Cortland, of New York.

Miss Swan will return from New York early in the spring to fulfill some commissions, among them a head of Mrs. Vincent's young son, Didi.

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Vincent asked a few friends in to her Georgetown apartment to meet the artist. The large living room, with its two fireplaces, beautiful Chinese screens and walls tinted pale green, makes a pleasant setting for a party. Among the guests were Mrs. Edward Burling, Mrs. Francis B. Sayre, wife of the Assistant Secretary of State and a talented artist; Mrs. Ben Cherrington and Mrs. Maxwell Hamilton.

Today Miss Swan will share honors with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert May at another small tea to be given by Mrs. Vincent.

WE HEAR that Mrs. James Clement Dunn, now in Florida, will pay Porto Rico a visit before returning to Washington. Mrs. J. Pierrepont Moffat is visiting Mrs. Cethlow Pierrepont at Yeoman's Hall, Charleston, S. C., for a week.

Notes of Society

Senator and Mrs. Dennis Chavez, of Albuquerque, N. Mex., and their daughter, Miss Gloria Chavez, are now in Washington and in residence in their apartment at the Wardman Park Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Delio Nunez, of Havana, are in Washington to see Dr. Oscar D. Albertini and are at the Shoreham. They are returning shortly to their home in Cuba. They have spent two weeks in New York before coming to Washington.

Mrs. Cora Jane Mesta, of Pittsburgh, has arrived in Washington to pass several weeks. She is staying at the Shoreham, where she visits each year.

Mrs. James L. Baity will entertain at the Saturday Fashion Luncheon at the Shoreham, having as guest of honor Mrs. Walter Maloney, of Kansas City, Mo., who is visiting friends in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Sol Peyser will celebrate their forty-fifth wedding anniversary on Sunday, February 26, and will be at home on that afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock at 6204 Maple avenue, Chevy Chase, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Eakin announce the birth of a daughter on February 13 in Columbia Hospital. Mrs. Eakin before her marriage was Miss Ruth Riley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Riley. This child is their third daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Wrisley Brown are spending several weeks at the Breakers in Palm Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren L. Heap, of Chevy Chase, are guests at the Venetian Hotel while in Miami, Fla.

Mrs. Howard Williams, of Washington, enjoyed a visit to San Francisco recently, and while there was a guest at the Palace Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Brand are in Miami Beach, Fla., where they will be at the Pancoast Hotel for about two weeks.

The Rev. P. J. McCormick, of Washington, has arrived at Orlando, Fla., for the winter.

Joseph Rathenberg to Wed Miss Mollie Faye Drazin

The engagement of Miss Mollie Faye Drazin to Joseph Rothenberg, of Richmond, Va., has been announced by the bride-elect's mother, Mrs. Sarah Drazin, of Washington. No date has been set for the wedding.

The bride-elect attended George Washington University and is now studying at the Graduate School of the Department of Agriculture. Mr. Rothenberg attended the University of Richmond. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Rothenberg of that city.

Last Concert In Candlelight Series Given

Record Attendance Marks Performance Closing Season

In the dim, oak-paneled hall of the Phillips' Memorial Gallery yesterday afternoon, the final Candlelight Concert of the Washington Chamber Music Society folded the curtains on one of the most delightful series of musical afternoons this season.

The spring-like weather, coupled with promise of an excellent program, brought out a record attendance. Except for a few accents of color here and there in the costumes, the audience for the most part seemed to be getting the last bit of wear from winter wardrobes.

Mrs. Jouett Shouse, who has contributed much to the success of these programs, arrived from Florida with her husband yesterday just in time to be on hand for the concert. Mr. Shouse and his daughter, Marion, accompanied her.

A violin quartet consisting of Milton Schwartz, Jeno Sevely, Ralph Hersh and William Brennand gave a Bethoven program, and Sylvia Meyer, harpist of the National Symphony, together with Ralph Heck, played a composition for harp and violin, which never before had been heard in Washington.

Mrs. Robert Woods Bliss was noted in the audience, wearing a beige frock with rust hat and accessories, and a soft green coat to which were pinned two fresh spring jonquils.

Among others there were Mrs. Wayne Chatfield Taylor, Mrs. Richard Wilmer, Representative Caroline O'Day, Mme. Van Troostenburg de Bruyn, Frau Blankenhorn, Mrs. George T. Pettengill, Mrs. Hamilton Bryan, Mrs. Herbert Feis, Mrs. Edwin Parker, Lady Bradford Leslie, Mrs. Clarence D. Goodwin, Mrs. Elliott Thurston, Mrs. Frank West, Miss Rosalind Wright, Mrs. Donald Hiss and Mrs. Charles Darlington.

Also Mrs. Leo Pasvolsky, Senora Cosmelli, Mrs. Ernest Draper, Mrs. Fontaine Bradley, Mrs. Kenneth Bewley, Mrs. John Sternhagen and Mrs. Walter White.

Mr. Dunn Honors Cafferys Despite Envoy's Illness

Although one of the guests of honor could not be present, the dinner James Clement Dunn planned for last evening in honor of the United States Ambassador to Brazil and Mrs. Jefferson Caffery was given anyway. Mr. Caffery, who has been suffering from a cold for several days, is in bed. His wife, however, attended the dinner.

Since Mrs. Dunn is vacationing in Florida, where she will be until the end of the month, the hostess was Mr. Dunn's daughter, the Countess Guy de Baillet Latour, who, with her husband, is visiting here.

Leo Kasehagens Guests at Party

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Kasehagen were guests of honor at a surprise cocktail party last evening, the event being arranged to celebrate Mr. Kasehagen's fifty-second birthday.

Among those who called at the Kasehagen home during the evening were Mr. and Mrs. James L. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Radgikowski, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hunn, Miss Mary Lane, Miss Jane Bennett, Frank Wise, Loren Hagerla, Dr. William Burton, of Philadelphia, and many more.

Mme. Irimescu Entertains In Honor of Daughter

Mme. Irimescu, wife of the Rumanian Minister, entertained at a small luncheon yesterday in honor of her daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Green, who arrived here a few days ago for a brief visit.

Mrs. Green will return to her home in New York today.

Penteados Leave D. C. And Motor to New York

The Financial Attache of the Brazilian Embassy, Eurico Penteado, and Mme. Penteado left yesterday by motor for New York, where they make their home.

They spent several days in Washington.

Mrs. Boles Gives Tea Party to Honor Her Mother

Mrs. Stephen Bolles, wife of Representative Bolles, entertained yesterday in honor of her mother, Mrs. Charles Schaller, of Janesville, Wis., at a tea from 4 to 6 at her residence on Thirty-third street.

Assisting at the tea table during the afternoon were Mrs. John Schafer and Mrs. Frank Parker Stockbridge.

Generally assisting were Mrs. Joshua Johns, Mrs. Charles Hawks, jr., Mrs. Harry Griswold, Mrs. Melville Williams, Mrs. Harold Albrecht and Mrs. Victor J. O'Kelliher.

Frances Clarke Goes To Campbellsville, Ky.

Miss Frances Clarke of this city is now in Campbellsville, Ky., where she will spend a week with her sister, Mrs. J. Y. Chambers.

Mrs. Chambers will then accompany her to Mobile, Ala., and from there they will go to Natchez, Miss. They will then go on to New Orleans where they will remain for two weeks.

Return Home

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Clark, of Wellesley Hills, Mass.; Lewis W. Mustard, jr., and Miss Anne Layton, of Wilmington, Del., who were guests of the Assistant Secretary of State and Mrs. George S. Messersmith, left Washington yesterday for their respective homes.

Miss Hazel Schmid Engaged to Wed John Yates Latta

Bachrach Photo.
MISS HAZEL SCHMIDT

Walter E. Schmid, of Cleveland, Ohio, has announced the engagement of his sister, Miss Hazel L. Schmid, to John Yates Latta, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Latta, of Parkesburg, Pa.

The wedding will take place May 27 in the Upper Octorara Presbyterian Church, Octorara, Pa., with the Rev. Alfred E. Stuart officiating. Miss Marcia Ann Scofield will be maid of honor, and James Latta, brother of the bridegroom, will be best man.

The bride-elect attended George Washington and later studied art under Mary Margaret Hudgins. Recently she has been studying at the Phillips Memorial Art Gallery. The prospective bridegroom attended the Unviersity of Pennsylvania and the Wharton School of Finance and Commerce. He is a member of Delta Tau Delta Fraternity.

Mrs. Kincheloe Is Entertained

Mrs. Tilman Bacon Parks, wife of former Representative Parks, of Arkansas, entertained at a bridge luncheon yesterday at the Congressional Club in honor of Mrs. David H. Kincheloe, wife of Judge Kinchelo, of New York, who is the house guest of Mrs. Edward Campbell Shields.

The table was decorated with spring flowers. The hostess wore a black frock embroidered in jet and a red felt hat draped with a black wimple. Guests were Mrs. Morris Sheppard, Mrs. Joseph Byrns, Mrs. Edward Taylor, Mrs. George H. Dern, Mrs. Roy Woodruff, Mrs. Frank Morrison, Mrs. William A. Kinnan, Mrs. Henry Williams, Mrs. Frank H. Shortall, Mrs. Edward Campbell Shields, Mrs. W. Wintemute Sloan, Mrs. George Harris, Mrs. John Carr, Mrs. P. Lee Hodges and Mrs. James H. Davis, of Annapolis, daughter of Mrs. Kincheloe.

A number of other parties have been planned for Mrs. Kincheloe this week. Today, she will be feted at a luncheon given by Mrs. George W. Harris at the latter's home on Woodland drive. Mrs. Edgar Kay will entertain at dinner for her tomorrow evening, and Mrs. Shortall will give a luncheon in her honor on Thursday at the Shoreham Hotel. Mrs. Shields has out invitations for a luncheon for her house guest on Friday, and on Saturday Mrs. Sloan will entertain her at a luncheon at the Shoreham.

On Tuesday of next week Mrs. Kincheloe will give a luncheon in compliment to her daughter, Mrs. James H. Davis, wife of Lieut. Davis, of Annapolis. The party will take place at the Congressional Club and most of the guests will be friends of the guest of honor.

Mary Wainwright Is Betrothed to R. S. Auchincloss

Of interest to Washington is announcement of the betrothal of Miss Mary King Wainwright, daughter of Mrs. Clement Reeves Wainwright, of Philadelphia, to Richard Saltonstall Auchincloss, of Malvern, Pa., and New York. The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Auchincloss, of New York.

The bride-elect is a graduate of the Foxcroft School in Virginia and is widely known in Washington, where she visited frequently in her school days. Mr. Auchincloss was graduated from St. Paul's School at Concord, N. H., and in 1932 from Yale University.

Give Dinner

Associate Justice of the United States Court of Appeals, Harold M. Stephens, and Mrs. Stephens entertained informally at a dinner Saturday night in the Colonial room of the Wardman Park Hotel. There were eight guests.

Dante Alighiere, Italy-America Societies Meet

Charge d'Affaires Of Embassy and Wife Are Among Guests

The Charge d'Affaires of the Italian Embassy and Signora Cosmelli were among guests who last evening attended the joint meeting of the Italy America Society and the Dante Alighiere Society at the Mayflower Hotel.

Col. George B. McClellan, president of the Italy America Society, introduced the internationally famous pianist, Ornella Puliti Santoliquido, who is on a brief visit in this country. Signora Santoliquido later presented a difficult program with the interpretation of a genius.

Fernando Cuniberti, president of the Dante Alighiere Society, thanked the artist of the evening at the close of her program. Supper was served following the musical.

Several members of the Embassy staff were there in addition to the Charge d'Affaires and Signora Cosmelli. Among them were Col. Vincenzo Coppola; Eugenia Bonardelli, counselor for emigration, and Signora Bonardelli, and Signor Vittotio Bifulco, assistant counselor for emigration, and Signora Bifulco.

Others present included Mrs. Jacob Leander Loose, Mrs. Churchill Candee, Mrs. Terry Thompson, Mrs. John C. Fremont, Mrs. Fernando Cuniberti, Mrs. Carlton Van Valkenberg, Miss Margaret Gage, Mme. Fani d'Aulby, Mrs. Eldon King, Mrs. Charles Fairfax, Mrs. Hugh Obar, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Droop and Mrs. Halter Remberg.

Also Mrs. William Wheatley, Mrs. Louisa Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Strezzi, Gen. John Philip Hill, the Rev. Meade Bolton McBryde, Dr. Mario Mollari, Walter Davidge, Dr. and Mrs. George Tribble and Mrs. Thomas Reed.

Still others were Mrs. Matthew Delaney, Miss Alys Downing, Baroness von Below, Miss Janet Richards and Edward Harriman.

Horinouchis Fete Mme. Inouye at Embassy Dinner

The Japanese Ambassador and Mme. Horinouchi entertained at dinner last evening in honor of their house guest, Mme. T. Inouye, widow of the former Japanese Military Attache to Buenos Aires.

The company included Miss Shio Sakinishi, S. Yokoji, secretary of the interior department of Japan; Dr. Y. Takagi, member of the Tokyo Imperial University; F. Nishi, of New York, and J. H. Fenda, of Washington.

Mme. Inouye, who also was feted at a tea given by Mme. Horinouchi on Saturday, will leave Washington this afternoon to return to New York.

Bridal Pair Honored At Tea Sunday

Miss Rena Pearl Hamilton, of Morehead City, N. C., and John Everett Nobels, of Greenville, N. C., who will be married April 8, were guests of honor at a tea given by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Davidson Easley on Sunday afternoon. The party took place at the home of Mrs. Easley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hayes McNeill at 3212 Garfield street.

Mrs. Alvah Hamilton, mother of the bride-elect, and Mrs. Brooks Setzer presided at the tea table. Miss Margaret Knowles, of Mount Olive, N. C., assisted in the dining room. Miss Knowles and Mrs. Easley will be Miss Hamilton's wedding attendants.

Judge Robertson Buys Home in Georgetown

Judge and Mrs. William R. Robertson, who recently came to Washington from Dallas, Tex., have purchased a home in Georgetown at 1558 Thirty-fourth street.

Several parties have been given for the Robertsons since their arrival here. Among them was a reception at which Rear Admiral and Mrs. B. H. Dorsey entertained on Friday. About 50 guests called. Mrs. Morris Sheppard and Mrs. James G. Field were among those assisting at the event.

Chinese Ambassador Returns

The Chinese Ambassador, Dr. Hu Shih, who has been ill for sometime in New York, returned last evening to Washington.

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F at Fourteenth

National Panhellenic Convenes Here Friday

20 Colleges Will Be Represented At Regional Sessions; Faith Baldwin to Be Guest of Honor

By Jessie Ash Arndt,
The Post Club Editor.

"Panhellenic's Responsibility" will be the theme of the regional conference of the National Panhellenic Association to be held here this week-end with 20 colleges represented. Rushing, avoidance of unfair competition, limitation of members, fraternity education and co-operation in the program of the dean of women, will be discussed.

The conference will open Friday night at the Dodge Hotel, which will be headquarters for delegates, and Saturday, will move to the Wardman Park, where the annual City Panhellenic luncheon will be held.

A general round-up of plans for the two events was made yesterday by the committee in charge. Mrs. Raleigh Gilchrist was hostess to the local committee for the conference at her home, 939 Thirtieth place, in the afternoon, and the luncheon committee met at the Wardman Park Hotel last night.

Mrs. Leighton Johnston is president of the City Panhellenic Association, and Mrs. Joseph D. Grigsby, cochairman with Mrs. Arthur K. Anderson, of State College, Pa., of the conference committee. Others on the local committee are Mrs. John Warlick, Mrs. Gilchrist, Mrs. B. Harrison Lingo, Miss Margaret Liebler, Mrs. Rene Reixach, Mrs. Thomas Clements, Mrs. E. J. Nichols and Mrs. Joseph Kaylor.

Mrs. George Lindsay, of Baltimore, National Panhellenic delegate of Alpha Phi Sorority, who will speak the first morning of the conference, will also be on the program of the City Panhellenic luncheon, at which Faith Baldwin of Zeta Tau Alpha, noted author, will be principal speaker.

Sorority officers attending will be: Pi Beta Phi, Mrs. Samuel Spruce, province vice president, Washington; Kappa Alpha Theta, Mrs. E. Gillet Boyce, Baltimore; Kappa Kappa Gamma, Mrs. James F. McNaboe, grand vice president, New York; Mrs. Eugene C. Andres, jr., national panhellenic, delegate, Newton Center, Mass.; Miss Marian Handy, director of standards, Crisfield, Md.; Alpha Phi, Mrs. George Lindsay, national panhellenic delegate, Baltimore; Mrs. Robert V. Laughlin, District governor, Chevy Chase; Delta Gamma, Miss Marguerite D. Winant, national panhellenic delegate, New York; Alpha Chi Omega, Mrs. Irving Brown, national president, Philadelphia; Delta Delta Delta, Mrs. Joseph D. Grigsby, national panhellenic delegate, Washington; Alpha Xi Delta, Mrs. Robert McAdam, province vice president, Linthicum Heights, Md.; Sigma Kappa, Mrs. Richard M. Wick, grand president, Allentown, Pa.; Alpha Omicron Pi, Mrs. Arthur K. Anderson, national panhellenic delegate, State College; Mrs. E. J. Nichols, executive secretary, State College; Zeta Tau Alpha, Mrs. W. C. Roberts, national vice president, New York; Alpha Gamma Delta, Mrs. C. M. Jansky, first grand vice president, Washington; Alpha Delta Pi, Mrs. Joseph D. Hubbard, national panhellenic delegate, Cambridge, Mass.; Miss Marian Boyle, province president, Washington.

Delta Zeta, Miss Irene Broughton, executive secretary, Cincinnati, Ohio; Mrs. Robert Angelo, province director, Pittsburgh; Phi Mu, Mrs. John A. Reed, national pledge director, Washington; Kappa Delta, Miss Edna Sommerfeld, national secretary, Burlington, Vt.; Beta Phi Alpha, Mrs. Alice Hanson Jones, past grand president, Washington; Alpha Delta Theta, Mrs. Baxter Smith, national vice president, Washington; Theta Upsilon, Miss Lillian K. Pontius, national president, Philadelphia; Mrs. Donald B. Clark, supervisor of extension, Philadelphia; Phi Omega Pi, Miss Marjorie L. Langenbahn, national vice president, Mount Vernon, N. Y.

Deans of women will include Miss Althea H. Kratz, directress of women, and Miss Katharine V. O'Kane, assistant directress of women, University of Pennsylvania; Mrs. Josephine B. Meredith, dean of women, and Mrs. Frances Vuilleumier, assistant dean of women, Dickenson College; Miss Elizabeth K. Lawson, assistant dean of women, Bucknell University; Miss Amanda T. Bradley, dean of women, Washington College; Miss Alice Howard, assistant dean of women, and Miss Grace Lee, assistant dean of women, University of Maryland.

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Scout Troop 30 Studies Norway

Troop 30 of the District Girl Scouts will be hostess this afternoon at an "International Thinking Day" program at Eaton School. The girls of this troop, under the leadership of Mrs. Ford Hinrick, are working for their world-knowledge badges, with Norway as their study project.

Mme. Jorgen Galbe, wife of the counselor of the Norwegian Legation, will present a colored film, showing scenes in her country, and another showing winter sports. There will also be an exhibition of foreign dolls and of Girl Scout uniforms of foreign countries. Members of Troop 8, of which Mrs. LeRoy Barton is captain, will model.

Other features will be Norwegian songs by Mme. Galbe's daughters, Kari and Greta; a Norwegian dance, presented by the girls of Troop 30; a Polish dance by the Brownie Pack, led by Mrs. Chester Miller; a sea chant, sung by the Mariner Scouts, of whom Mrs. Rebecca Spitler is captain; and English Folk Songs by the Potomac School troop, under the leadership of Miss Seth-Smith, formerly a Girl Guide in England.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Stone, who attended the International Girl Scout Camp at Adelboden, Switzerland, in 1935, will describe her summer there and Mrs. Gerritt S. Miller, jr., will talk on the Juliette Low Memorial Fund, for which each troop will bring a contribution.

Arts Club Offers Comedy Today

The dramatic committee of the Arts Club of Washington will present an original three-act comedy today, tomorrow and Thursday at 8 p. m. in the theater hall of the club, 2017 I street northwest, Washington, D. C.

The play, "The Member for Merton," was written by Ednah P. C. Hayes (Mrs. Henry Hayes), and satirizes English and American divorcees.

The cast includes Edith Strickland, Robert Hall, Maude Howell Smith, Maurice Jarvis, William T. Jarvis, Harold Allen, James O. Porter, William S. Hepner, Constance Etz, Mrs. C. McK. Ashbrook, Harry Angelico, Louis Watle, Tom Marsh, Charles Proctor, James Hicks and others. The director is Mrs. William Peters.

Miss Frances B. Johnston and Walter S. Studdiford will act as hostess and host tomorrow, while Mr. and Mrs. William T. Peters and Miss Margaret Leidigh and Mrs. Herman P. Riess will perform as hosts for Wednesday and Thursday, respectively.

A club dinner will be held each evening prior to the play at 7 p. m. in the club dining rooms. Members and friends of the Arts Club of Washington will attend.

Democratic Women Hear Maj. Walker

Maj. John O. Walker, director of the resettlement division of the Farm Security Administration, told the weekly forum luncheon of the Woman's National Democratic Club yesterday that 171 communities, from Maine to Florida, are being developed by the division.

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Prepare for Regional Panhellenic Conference

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Members of the local committee preparing for the regional conference of the National Panhellenic Association met with Mrs. Raleigh Gilchrist, 4939 Thirtieth place yesterday afternoon to complete plans for the meeting which will be held Friday and Saturday. Left to right are Mrs. B. Harrison Lingo, Mrs. Gilchrist, Mrs. Rene Reixach, Mrs. John F. Warlick, Mrs. Leighton W. Johnston, president of the City Panhellenic Association, and Mrs. D. Thomas Clements

Virginia Society to Present Washington Birthday Pageant

Descendants of Revolutionary President To Play Roles in Re-enactment on Thursday Of His Wedding to Martha Dandridge Custis

The Virginia Society Thursday will give a colonial pageant and dance in honor of Washington's birthday, re-enacting his wedding to Martha Dandridge Custis. The entertainment will be in the ballroom of the Willard Hotel. Miss Earle Marshall, a collateral descendant of George Washington's mother and a direct descendant of Chief Justice John Marshall, will take the role of the bride. I. C. Buchanan, society secretary, will play the bridegroom, and the Rev. David Mosson, rector of St. Peter's Church, New Kent County, will

Mrs. E. Lee Trinkle, wife of former Gov. Trinkle of Virginia, with her husband, will be among the distinguished guests at the colonial pageant and ball of the Virginia Society at the Willard Hotel Thursday night

be impersonated by the Rev. John G. Sadtler.

Other characters will be Betty Washington, played by Miss Mary Tayloe Lewis; her husband, Fielding M. Lewis, portrayed by his great - great - nephew, Fielding Lewis. Many others taking the parts of historic characters at the wedding are descended from those whom they will represent.

Mary Washington will be impersonated by Mrs. Richard A. Allen; Augustine Washington, by Howell Carr Lewis; Augustine's wife, by Miss Mary Norris McCabe; Samuel Washington, by William Lipscomb; Samuel's wife, by Miss Doris Ingram; John Washington, by William J. Bartel; John's wife, by Miss Doris Isbell; Charles Washington, by William Pierce; Charles' wife, by Miss Marie Louise Ralph; Martha's mother, by Mrs. Thomas Franklin Stewart; Martha's sister, Fannie Dandridge Bassett, by Mrs. Lena Epperly McDonald; Burwell Bassett, her husband, by Dr. Larry Arnette; William Dandridge, by William Barbee; Mrs. William Dandridge, by Winfree Lee, and Mrs. Bartholomew Dandridge, by Patricia Saylor; Thomas, Lord Fairfax, by James A. Somerville; Gov. Francis Fauquier, by George Grove, and Maj. Chamberlain, by Fred P. Myers.

The Virginia Society's party is only one of several to be given this week. Tonight the Iowa Society will have its annual Washington's Birthday dance at the Shoreham Hotel. This is always the occasion for a contest between the Congressional districts to see which will have the largest attendance.

Tomorrow night at 7:30 the Washington State and Alaska Society will have a buffet supper at 7:30 at the Wardman Park Hotel. New officers will be installed. They include: J. J. Underwood, president; Representative John M. Coffee and Representative Charles H. Leavy, vice presidents; D. Harold McGrath, treasurer; Miss Ruby L. Bakken, corresponding secretary; Miss Marilyn L. Tollaksen, recording secretary; Miss Delia Bogue, historian; Floyd Hagie, Timothy O. McDowell and Daphne Anderson, executive officers.

The Utah Society also will have its annual dinner dance tomorrow night at the Raleigh Hotel. There will be no receiving line and no speechmaking but instead, a program of music, dramatic tableaux and narrative depicting the history of the State. Claud C. Cornwall and Lucybeth Cardon have arranged the presentation, assisted by a committee including Wayne Brown, chairman; Jay Knudsen, Eva Cluff, D. Sterling Wheelwright, and Frank Moss. A chorus of 40 voices will sing, and Bryson Rash, N. B. C. radio announcer, will read the narrative accompanying the tableaux.

Dancing will follow the program. Ernest L. Wilkinson is general chairman for the party with Mrs. Harold M. Stephens, chairman of the reception committee.

Saturday night the Missouri State Society will give a dance at the Shoreham Hotel. The program will include a talk on the life and times of Jesse and Frank James, by former Senator Harry B. Hawes, and songs by Mrs. Walter Maloney, wife of the chairman of the Coal Commission.

The Florida Society also will have its dance Saturday, honoring Senator Claude Pepper and Mrs. Pepper, and Senator Charles O. Andrews and Mrs. Andrews. The affair will be at Hotel 2400 Sixteenth street at 9:30. Dan P. Mularkey is society president.

The Tennessee Society has announced a dinner-dance at the Willard March 4. Senator Tom Stewart will be guest of honor.

Madame Chairman

By Suzanne

HILDA CONKLING, considered the most gifted poet of recent child prodigies, will be presented as a speaker today at the weekly luncheon at Opportunity House. Dorothy DeMuth Watson is chairman of speakers for the luncheon series.

SOUVENIRS brought from foreign ports by members of the Women's City Club on their world travels will be awarded as prizes tonight at the benefit card party being given by the Evening Bridge Section with Mrs. Odessa V. Glover as chairman. Ann Singleton will give the book review at the regular book hour at 5 o'clock.

WASHINGTON CENTENNIAL CHAPTER, Order of the Eastern Star will have a card party and dance Saturday night at the Wardman Park Hotel.

THE BUSINESS WOMEN'S MUSIC CLUB of the Y. W. C. A. is presenting Mrs. Marie Deal, soprano; Charles I. Haycraft, barytone, and Mrs. Elsie Harvey Weaver, pianist, in a joint recital tonight at the "Y. W." It is for members and their friends with no charge for admission.

Mme. Horinouchi, wife of the Japanese Ambassador; Mme. Irimescu, wife of the Rumanian Minister, and Mme. Molekamp, wife of the commercial counselor of the Netherlands Legation, will be guests of honor Thursday at the World Fellowship luncheon of the Y. W. C. A., at which Mrs. Minnie Frost Rands will read a Javanese comedy of which she is the author.

THE CY PRES CLUB of National University, composed of women law students, will hold its annual banquet at the Shoreham Hotel tomorrow with Miss Nina Kinsella, executive assistant to the director of the Bureau of Prisons, Department of Justice, and Representative William Byron, of Maryland, as speakers.

The dinner will be attended by Chancellor Leslie C. Garnett, of the university; Dean Charles Pergler, of the law school; Dean Eugene Carusi, of the school of economics and government, and about 100 other guests, including a number of women prominent in legal circles.

Miss Ruth C. Marvick, club president, will preside.

WARREN EMLEY, chief of the division of fibrous materials in the Bureau of Standards, will speak tonight at the meeting of the Women's Guild of American University in Women's Residence Hall. Mr. Emley, who is the husband of one of the members, will give pointers on identification of materials.

CHARLES C. WALL will address the Washington Club this morning on "Notes from Gen. Washington's Diary and His Cash Memorandum Book."

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Mrs. Constance Spry, England's foremost flower decorator, will lecture at the Shoreham Hotel, March 8, at 3 p. m., under the sponsorship of the local affairs committee of the American Horticultural Society.

Mrs. Spry, who for years has arranged flowers for the English royal family, came to the United States at the invitation of the Brooklyn Botanic Gardens and has also been appointed by King George to take charge of all decorations for the English exhibits at the New York World's Fair. At the time of the marriage of the Duke and Duchess of Windsor she went to Cannes to make the wedding decorations.

"Flowers in the Home—Arrangement and Color" will be her subject, which she will illustrate with colored slides. She suggests new combinations in arrangements of all the things which grow in the garden and by the wayside during different seasons of the year and has originated many new flower containers. She has also written extensively on the subject of flower arrangement.

Her lecture here will be one of a series she will present on a coast-to-coast tour.

Presidents of the leading garden clubs who comprise other members of the committee include Mrs. Robert Fleming, president of the Garden Club of Chevy Chase, Md.; Mrs. Dion Birney, president of the Trowel Club; Mrs. Louis Mackall, president of the Georgetown Garden Club; Mrs. Paul Anderson, president of the Chevy Chase (D. C.) Garden Club; Mrs. Mahlon Kirke 4th, president of the Sandy Spring Garden Club; Mrs. Arthur Hilland, president of the Bethesda Garden Club; Mrs. Thomas F. Law, president of the Washington Garden Club.

The patronesses are headed by Lady Lindsay, wife of the British Ambassador; Lady Marler, wife of the Canadian Minister, and Mrs. Ralph Close, wife of the Minister of the Union of South Africa. Among others are Mrs. Harlan Fiske Stone, Mrs. Owen J. Roberts, Mrs. Stanley Reed, Mrs. Henry A. Wallace, Mrs. Robert Woods Bliss, Mrs. Charles D. Walcott, Mrs. Fairfax Harrison, Mrs. William Holland Wilmer, Mrs. Dean Acheson, Mrs. Whitman Cross, Mrs. Henry Parsons Erwin, Mrs. Keith Merrill, Mrs. Harry B. Hawes, Mrs. Ridley McLean, Mrs. T. H. B. McKnight, editor of the Garden Club Magazine of America; Mrs. Edward R. Finkenstaedt, Mrs. Casanove Lee, Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. Rudolph M. Keffmann, Mrs. William Corcoran Eustis, Mrs. William C. Seipp, of Middleburg, Va., chairman of the annual Virginia Daffodil Show, held in Alexandria.

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Capital Society:

Mrs. Stone Too Busy For More Novels Now

Sails March 1 for Paris, Where Husband Will Serve as Naval Attache, But Will Have No Time for Writing in a Garrett

By Hope Ridings Miller,

The Post Society Editor.

A REST CURE from writing is what novelist Grace Zaring Stone (Mrs. Ellis Stone) prescribed for herself some time ago. It was so pleasant, she has continued it—to the amazement of her friends and the consternation of her reading public which enjoyed "The Bitter Tea of General Yen" and "The Cold Journey" and has been impatiently awaiting another novel from her pen.

HOPE R. MILLER

Just when she expects to resume literary activity and turn out another novel, she will not say. "There's too much else to do now," she averred yesterday. She and Capt. Stone are guests of Capt. and Mrs. W. R. Munroe and will remain in Washington until the end of the week when they will be off to New York for a brief stay before sailing for France on March 1.

Since she joined her husband here a few days ago, they have been entertained at a continual round of parties and their calendar from now right up to the minute they leave is jammed with engagements. This evening, however, they will take time out from being feted to attend the Mardi Gras ball of the Navy Relief Society at the Sail Loft, going there after a dinner planned for them.

As you know, Capt. Stone is going to Paris to assume his duties as Naval Attache at our Embassy there. The Stones have lived at a number of points around the world—including Java, China, New Zealand, Australia and Mexico—and Paris will not be new to them, "but it will be interesting," Mrs. Stone said.

Her writing activity since publication of "The Cold Journey" in 1934 has been restricted chiefly to short stories. She declines to divulge whether she has another novel in mind; but chances are, she has. Anyway, I remember an interview I had with her several years ago when she said there had been many times she wished she "could retire to a secluded attic in Paris and lead the proverbial writer's existence—drinking coffee and writing all night by the guttering glow of a candle and having a whole chapter finished by dawn each morning." But now that she's on her way to Paris, the chance of a garret existence is just as remote as ever. As the wife of a naval attache, she will find social duties taking up much of her time. Anyway, though she is making no promises, we're still hoping that sooner or later she will get back to writing novels.

TRAVEL NOTES: Some people have all the fun. Take Mrs. Donald Richberg, for example. She's now completing plans for a trip that makes all of us purple with envy. On Sunday she will be off to San Antonio, Tex., to join her husband (he's now on a business trip to San Francisco), and from there they will go to Mexico City for a stay that "may be a week, or may be a month." Anyway, there'll be a flock of "farewell" parties for popular Mrs. Richberg, among them a luncheon to be given Thursday by Mrs. Arthur Henning.

Mrs. Edward C. Moran, jr., wife of the maritime commissioner, will leave Friday for New York and will sail from there Saturday on the Exochorda for a Mediterranean cruise. Her itinerary calls for stopovers in France, Italy, Greece and Egypt and includes a trip through the Holy Land. She will return to Washington April 12.

MORE TRIPPING TRIVIA: Speaking of going places—Barbara Bolling and Adele Bunker haven't yet sailed for Europe. For first one reason then three, their start has been delayed several times. But now plans are definitely set for departure on the Ile de France Thursday. They will spend much time in Moscow with Miss Bunker's mother, Signora Rosso, but they also will make quite a tour of central and southern Europe before returning in mid-summer.

Business instead of pleasure will take Dr. Henry F. Grady on a quick trip to Europe early next month. As American member of the Economic Committee of the League of Nations, he will sail for Geneva, March 11. A couple of days earlier he and Mrs. Grady will go to New York, but she will not accompany him abroad. He expects to return to Washington the latter part of March or early in April.

Meanwhile, Mrs. Grady also is completing some travel plans. She will be off early next month for Missouri where she is scheduled to make a couple of speeches. And, incidentally, when it comes to speeches, Lucretia Del Valle Grady is tops.

RECENT ARRIVALS: Mr. and Mrs. Herbert May, who divide their time between this country and Geneva, arrived in Washington last night after a vacation at White Sulphur, W. Va. Their visit here will be brief (they are leaving Friday) but they will be widely entertained during their stay. Mr. May is a member of both international control boards on opium and also has worked as adviser on the Evian committee on refugees. Among parties being planned for them is a dinner to be given tomorrow evening by Mrs. Howell Moorhead whose other guests also will be notables who have "seen service" in various capacities at Geneva. Included in the company will be Clarence Streit, formerly New York Times correspondent at Geneva, whose book, "Union Now," has just been published.

PARTY PLANS: Mme. Ertegun has invitations out for a luncheon next Tuesday . . . Mrs. D. Worth Clark will entertain at a similar event March 2. . . . Representative and Mrs. Harry Coffee will give a dinner this evening at the Shoreham Hotel . . . Mrs. John Gregg will be hostess at a tea next Tuesday . . . Mrs. Robert Goodale will entertain at a small cocktail party this afternoon in her Georgetown home . . . Mrs. Carroll L. Stewart has issued invitations for a dinner on March 6.

Brejskas Are Hosts At Dinner Party

The Counselor of the Czecho-Slovakian Legation and Mme. Brejska were hosts at dinner last evening.

They will entertain again at a buffet supper tomorrow evening, when their guests will include members of the official, diplomatic and residential circles.

De Gramonts Guests Of Alaric Jacobs Here

Mr. and Mrs. Alaric Jacob entertained at dinner last evening in the Pall Mall room at the Raleigh Hotel.

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Mrs. J. B. Shaw Parker, who at present is visiting in Peterborough, N. H., recently came to Washington from New York City, where she formerly made her home. She has taken a house in Georgetown at 3304 O street

Mrs. Byron To Entertain

Mrs. William D. Byron, wife of the Representative from the Sixth District of Maryland, will be "at-home" this afternoon, from 4 to 6, at their residence at 2134 Kalorama road. This will be the last in a series of open "at-homes" given by Mrs. Byron this season.

Mrs. Lansdale G. Sasscer, wife of the new Representative from Maryland, will receive with Mrs. Byron, and will be the guest of honor for the afternoon.

At the tea table during the afternoon will be Mrs. Arthur Vandenberg, Miss Margaret Wade, Mrs. Russell Train, Mrs. Edward Burrows, jr., Miss Lydia Loring, Mrs. David Winebrener, Mrs. Joseph C. Byron, Mrs. David Byron, Mrs. Paul Porter, Mrs. C. Goodloe Edgar, Mrs. William C. Walsh, Mrs. William Preston Lane, Mrs. Robert McC. Smith, Mrs. Robert Walsh and Mrs. A. B. Peters.

Following the tea, Representative and Mrs. Byron will give a small dinner in honor of the Attorney General of Maryland and Mrs. William C. Walsh.

Mrs. Morgenthau Returns to Capital From Fishkill, N.Y.

Mrs. Henry Morgenthau, jr., returned to Washington yesterday after spending the week-end at the Morgenthau farm near Fishkill, N. Y.

Prior to going there she accompanied Mrs. Roosevelt to Ithaca, where they attended exercises in connection with Farm and Home Week at Cornell University. Mrs. Roosevelt, who is now in New York, will return to Washington next week.

About The Town

With Dudley Harmon

WITH tomorrow the beginning of Lent, we predict that society's chief form of entertainment for the next 40 days and nights will be small dinners and large musicales. There's something generally considered so unfrivolous about the latter that a party of 200 people, with all the customary trimmings, seems not to violate the Lenten spirit so long as a flautist, cellist, pianist or other musician goes along with it. At least this time last year, hardly a week passed without an assortment of big musicales.

DUDLEY HARMON

Society will certainly turn out full force for the concert which the Friends of Music will give March 1 for Mrs. Elizabeth Sprague Coolidge, donor of the Coolidge auditorium in the Library of Congress and one of music's leading patrons.

LADY LINDSAY and her social secretary, Miss Irene Boyle, are ankle-deep in passepartout and other equipment these days. They are converting into slides over 100 colored photographs which the wife of the British envoy made on her recent trip to California and Arizona.

LUCILE SWAN, the peripatetic sculptress, whose work was included in a recent exhibition of the Washington Gallery of the Museum of Modern Art, is in town again and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Carter Vincent. She is en route to New York where she will do the portrait statuette of a young niece of Bella Spewack, the playwright who, with Sam Spewack, is responsible for "Once in a Lifetime," the script of "Leave it to Me," and other hits.

Most children regard being obliged to sit for their portraits with as much sullen hatred as they do being made to practice finger exercises on the piano and other disagreeable chores. But posing for Miss Swan is different—instead of having to sit rigidly staring into space, they can play with their toys, read, or chat.

WHILE living in Peking, Miss Swan "did" the children of Ambassador Nelson Johnson, who in the troubled months since has traveled up and down the Yangtze with the portrait statuettes invariably clutched under one arm. Other sitters for Miss Swan include Mrs. Cecil Lyon, a sister of Mrs. J. Pierrepont Moffat, and the young children of Mrs. Augustus van Cortland, of New York.

Miss Swan will return from New York early in the spring to fulfill some commissions, among them a head of Mrs. Vincent's young son, Didi.

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Vincent asked a few friends in to her Georgetown apartment to meet the artist. The large living room, with its two fireplaces, beautiful Chinese screens and walls tinted pale green, makes a pleasant setting for a party. Among the guests were Mrs. Edward Burling, Mrs. Francis B. Sayre, wife of the Assistant Secretary of State and a talented artist; Mrs. Ben Cherrington and Mrs. Maxwell Hamilton.

Today Miss Swan will share honors with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert May at another small tea to be given by Mrs. Vincent.

WE HEAR that Mrs. James Clement Dunn, now in Florida, will pay Porto Rico a visit before returning to Washington. Mrs. J. Pierrepont Moffat is visiting Mrs. Cethlow Pierrepont at Yeoman's Hall, Charleston, S. C., for a week.

Notes of Society

Senator and Mrs. Dennis Chavez, of Albuquerque, N. Mex., and their daughter, Miss Gloria Chavez, are now in Washington and in residence in their apartment at the Wardman Park Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Delio Nunez, of Havana, are in Washington to see Dr. Oscar D. Albertini and are at the Shoreham. They are returning shortly to their home in Cuba. They have spent two weeks in New York before coming to Washington.

Mrs. Cora Jane Mesta, of Pittsburgh, has arrived in Washington to pass several weeks. She is staying at the Shoreham, where she visits each year.

Mrs. James L. Baity will entertain at the Saturday Fashion Luncheon at the Shoreham, having as guest of honor Mrs. Walter Maloney, of Kansas City, Mo., who is visiting friends in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Sol Peyser will celebrate their forty-fifth wedding anniversary on Sunday, February 26, and will be at home on that afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock at 6204 Maple avenue, Chevy Chase, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Eakin announce the birth of a daughter on February 13 in Columbia Hospital. Mrs. Eakin before her marriage was Miss Ruth Riley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Riley. This child is their third daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Wrisley Brown are spending several weeks at the Breakers in Palm Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren L. Heap, of Chevy Chase, are guests at the Venetian Hotel while in Miami, Fla.

Mrs. Howard Williams, of Washington, enjoyed a visit to San Francisco recently, and while there was a guest at the Palace Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Brand are in Miami Beach, Fla., where they will be at the Pancoast Hotel for about two weeks.

The Rev. P. J. McCormick, of Washington, has arrived at Orlando, Fla., for the winter.

Joseph Rathenberg to Wed Miss Mollie Faye Drazin

The engagement of Miss Mollie Faye Drazin to Joseph Rothenberg, of Richmond, Va., has been announced by the bride-elect's mother, Mrs. Sarah Drazin, of Washington. No date has been set for the wedding.

The bride-elect attended George Washington University and is now studying at the Graduate School of the Department of Agriculture. Mr. Rothenberg attended the University of Richmond. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Rothenberg of that city.

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Mrs. Boles Gives Tea Party to Honor Her Mother

Mrs. Stephen Bolles, wife of Representative Bolles, entertained yesterday in honor of her mother, Mrs. Charles Schaller, of Janesville, Wis., at a tea from 4 to 6 at her residence on Thirty-third street.

Assisting at the tea table during the afternoon were Mrs. John Senafer and Mrs. Frank Parker Stockbridge.

Generally assisting were Mrs. Joshua Johns, Mrs. Charles Hawks, jr., Mrs. Harry Griswold, Mrs. Melville Williams, Mrs. Harold Albrecht and Mrs. Victor J. O'Kelliher.

Frances Clarke Goes To Campbellsville, Ky.

Miss Frances Clarke of this city is now in Campbellsville, Ky., where she will spend a week with her sister, Mrs. J. Y. Chambers.

Mrs. Chambers will then accompany her to Mobile, Ala., and from there they will go to Natchez, Miss. They will then go on to New Orleans where they will remain for two weeks.

Return Home

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Clark, of Wellesley Hills, Mass.; Lewis W. Mustard, jr., and Miss Anne Layton, of Wilmington, Del., who were guests of the Assistant Secretary of State and Mrs. George S. Messersmith, left Washington yesterday for their respective homes.

Last Concert In Candlelight Series Given

Record Attendance Marks Performance Closing Season

In the dim, oak-paneled hall of the Phillips' Memorial Gallery yesterday afternoon, the final Candlelight Concert of the Washington Chamber Music Society folded the curtains on one of the most delightful series of musical afternoons this season.

The spring-like weather, coupled with promise of an excellent program, brought out a record attendance. Except for a few accents of color here and there in the costumes, the audience for the most part seemed to be getting the last bit of wear from winter wardrobes.

Mrs. Jouett Shouse, who has contributed much to the success of these programs, arrived from Florida with her husband yesterday just in time to be on hand for the concert. Mr. Shouse and his daughter, Marion, accompanied her.

A violin quartet consisting of Milton Schwartz, Jeno Sevely, Ralph Hersh and William Brennand gave a Bethoven program, and Sylvia Meyer, harpist of the National Symphony, together with Ralph Heck, played a composition for harp and violin, which never before had been heard in Washington.

Mrs. Robert Woods Bliss was noted in the audience, wearing a beige frock with rust hat and accessories, and a soft green coat to which were pinned two fresh spring jonquils.

Among others there were Mrs. Wayne Chatfield Taylor, Mrs. Richard Wilmer, Representative Caroline O'Day, Mme. Van Troostenburg de Bruyn, Frau Blankenhorn, Mrs. George T. Pettengill, Mrs. Hamilton Bryan, Mrs. Herbert Feis, Mrs. Edwin Parker, Lady Bradford Leslie, Mrs. Clarence D. Goodwin, Mrs. Elliott Thurston, Mrs. Frank West, Miss Rosalind Wright, Mrs. Donald Hiss and Mrs. Charles Darlington.

Also Mrs. Leo Pasvolsky, Senora Cosmelli, Mrs. Ernest Draper, Mrs. Fontaine Bradley, Mrs. Kenneth Bewley, Mrs. John Sternhagen and Mrs. Walter White.

Mr. Dunn Honors Cafferys Despite Envoy's Illness

Although one of the guests of honor could not be present, the dinner James Clement Dunn planned for last evening in honor of the United States Ambassador to Brazil and Mrs. Jefferson Caffery was given anyway. Mr. Caffery, who has been suffering from a cold for several days, is in bed. His wife, however, attended the dinner.

Since Mrs. Dunn is vacationing in Florida, where she will be until the end of the month, the hostess was Mr. Dunn's daughter, the Countess Guy de Baillet Latour, who, with her husband, is visiting here.

Leo Kasehagens Guests at Party

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Kasehagen were guests of honor at a surprise cocktail party last evening, the event being arranged to celebrate Mr. Kasehagen's fifty-second birthday.

Among those who called at the Kasehagen home during the evening were Mr. and Mrs. James L. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Radgikowski, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hunn, Miss Mary Lane, Miss Jane Bennett, Frank Wise, Loren Hagerla, Dr. William Burton, of Philadelphia, and many more.

Mme. Irimescu Entertains In Honor of Daughter

Mme. Irimescu, wife of the Rumanian Minister, entertained at a small luncheon yesterday in honor of her daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Green, who arrived here a few days ago for a brief visit.

Mrs. Green will return to her home in New York today.

Penteados Leave D. C. And Motor to New York

The Financial Attache of the Brazilian Embassy, Eurico Penteado, and Mme. Penteado left yesterday by motor for New York, where they make their home.

They spent several days in Washington.

Miss Hazel Schmid Engaged to Wed John Yates Latta

Bachrach Photo.

MISS HAZEL SCHMIDT

Walter E. Schmid, of Cleveland, Ohio, has announced the engagement of his sister, Miss Hazel L. Schmid, to John Yates Latta, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Latta, of Parkesburg, Pa.

The wedding will take place May 27 in the Upper Octorara Presbyterian Church, Octorara, Pa., with the Rev. Alfred E. Stuart officiating. Miss Marcia Ann Scofield will be maid of honor, and James Latta, brother of the bridegroom, will be best man.

The bride-elect attended George Washington and later studied art under Mary Margaret Hudgins. Recently she has been studying at the Phillips Memorial Art Gallery. The prospective bridegroom attended the Unviersity of Pennsylvania and the Wharton School of Finance and Commerce. He is a member of Delta Tau Delta Fraternity.

Mrs. Kincheloe Is Entertained

Mrs. Tilman Bacon Parks, wife of former Representative Parks, of Arkansas, entertained at a bridge luncheon yesterday at the Congressional Club in honor of Mrs. David H. Kincheloe, wife of Judge Kinchelo, of New York, who is the house guest of Mrs. Edward Campbell Shields.

The table was decorated with spring flowers. The hostess wore a black frock embroidered in jet and a red felt hat draped with a black wimple. Guests were Mrs. Morris Sheppard, Mrs. Joseph Byrns, Mrs. Edward Taylor, Mrs. George H. Dern, Mrs. Roy Woodruff, Mrs. Frank Morrison, Mrs. William A. Kinnan, Mrs. Henry Williams, Mrs. Frank H. Shortall, Mrs. Edward Campbell Shields, Mrs. W. Wintemute Sloan, Mrs. George Harris, Mrs. John Carr, Mrs. P. Lee Hodges and Mrs. James H. Davis, of Annapolis, daughter of Mrs. Kincheloe.

A number of other parties have been planned for Mrs. Kincheloe this week. Today, she will be feted at a luncheon given by Mrs. George W. Harris at the latter's home on Woodland drive. Mrs. Edgar Kay will entertain at dinner for her tomorrow evening, and Mrs. Shortall will give a luncheon in her honor on Thursday at the Shoreham Hotel. Mrs. Shields has out invitations for a luncheon for her house guest on Friday, and on Saturday Mrs. Sloan will entertain her at a luncheon at the Shoreham.

On Tuesday of next week Mrs. Kincheloe will give a luncheon in compliment to her daughter, Mrs. James H. Davis, wife of Lieut. Davis, of Annapolis. The party will take place at the Congressional Club and most of the guests will be friends of the guest of honor.

Mary Wainwright Is Betrothed to R. S. Auchincloss

Of interest to Washington is announcement of the betrothal of Miss Mary King Wainwright, daughter of Mrs. Clement Reeves Wainwright, of Philadelphia, to Richard Saltonstall Auchincloss, of Malvern, Pa., and New York. The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Auchincloss, of New York.

The bride-elect is a graduate of the Foxcroft School in Virginia and is widely known in Washington, where she visited frequently in her school days. Mr. Auchincloss was graduated from St. Paul's School at Concord, N. H., and in 1932 from Yale University.

Give Dinner

Associate Justice of the United States Court of Appeals, Harold M. Stephens, and Mrs. Stephens entertained informally at a dinner Saturday night in the Colonial room of the Wardman Park Hotel. There were eight guests.

Dante Alighiere, Italy-America Societies Meet

Charge d'Affaires Of Embassy and Wife Are Among Guests

The Charge d'Affaires of the Italian Embassy and Signora Cosmelli were among guests who last evening attended the joint meeting of the Italy America Society and the Dante Alighiere Society at the Mayflower Hotel.

Col. George B. McClellan, president of the Italy America Society, introduced the internationally famous pianist, Ornella Puliti Santoliquido, who is on a brief visit in this country. Signora Santoliquido later presented a difficult program with the interpretation of a genius.

Fernando Cuniberti, president of the Dante Alighiere Society, thanked the artist of the evening at the close of her program. Supper was served following the musical.

Several members of the Embassy staff were there in addition to the Charge d'Affaires and Signora Cosmelli. Among them were Col. Vincenzo Coppola; Eugenia Bonardelli, counselor for emigration, and Signora Bonardelli, and Signor Vittotio Bifulco, assistant counselor for emigration, and Signora Bifulco.

Others present included Mrs. Jacob Leander Loose, Mrs. Churchill Candee, Mrs. Terry Thompson, Mrs. John C. Fremont, Mrs. Fernando Cuniberti, Mrs. Carlton Van Valkenberg, Miss Margaret Gage, Mme. Fani d'Aulby, Mrs. Eldon King, Mrs. Charles Fairfax, Mrs. Hugh Obar, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Droop and Mrs. Halter Remberg.

Also Mrs. William Wheatley, Mrs. Louisa Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Strezzi, Gen. John Philip Hill, the Rev. Meade Bolton McBryde, Dr. Mario Mollari, Walter Davidge, Dr. and Mrs. George Tribble and Mrs. Thomas Reed.

Still others were Mrs. Matthew Delaney, Miss Alys Downing, Baroness von Below, Miss Janet Richards and Edward Harriman.

Horinouchis Fete Mme. Inouye at Embassy Dinner

The Japanese Ambassador and Mme. Horinouchi entertained at dinner last evening in honor of their house guest, Mme. T. Inouye, widow of the former Japanese Military Attache to Buenos Aires.

The company included Miss Shio Sakinishi, S. Yokoji, secretary of the interior department of Japan; Dr. Y. Takagi, member of the Tokyo Imperial University; F. Nishi, of New York, and J. H. Fenda, of Washington.

Mme. Inouye, who also was feted at a tea given by Mme. Horinouchi on Saturday, will leave Washington this afternoon to return to New York.

Bridal Pair Honored At Tea Sunday

Miss Rena Pearl Hamilton, of Morehead City, N. C., and John Everett Nobels, of Greenville, N. C., who will be married April 8, were guests of honor at a tea given by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Davidson Easley on Sunday afternoon. The party took place at the home of Mrs. Easley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hayes McNeill at 3212 Garfield street.

Mrs. Alvah Hamilton, mother of the bride-elect, and Mrs. Brooks Setzer presided at the tea table. Miss Margaret Knowles, of Mount Olive, N. C., assisted in the dining room. Miss Knowles and Mrs. Easley will be Miss Hamilton's wedding attendants.

Judge Robertson Buys Home in Georgetown

Judge and Mrs. William R. Robertson, who recently came to Washington from Dallas, Tex., have purchased a home in Georgetown at 1558 Thirty-fourth street.

Several parties have been given for the Robertsons since their arrival here. Among them was a reception at which Rear Admiral and Mrs. B. H. Dorsey entertained on Friday. About 50 guests called. Mrs. Morris Sheppard and Mrs. James G. Field were among those assisting at the event.

Chinese Ambassador Returns

The Chinese Ambassador, Dr. Hu Shih, who has been ill for sometime in New York, returned last evening to Washington.

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F at Fourteenth

National Panhellenic Convenes Here Friday

20 Colleges Will Be Represented At Regional Sessions; Faith Baldwin to Be Guest of Honor

By Jessie Ash Arndt,
The Post Club Editor.

"Panhellenic's Responsibility" will be the theme of the regional conference of the National Panhellenic Association to be held here this week-end with 20 colleges represented. Rushing, avoidance of unfair competition, limitation of members, fraternity education and co-operation in the program of the dean of women, will be discussed.

The conference will open Friday night at the Dodge Hotel, which will be headquarters for delegates, and Saturday, will move to the Wardman Park, where the annual City Panhellenic luncheon will be held.

A general round-up of plans for the two events was made yesterday by the committee in charge. Mrs. Raleigh Gilchrist was hostess to the local committee for the conference at her home, 4939 Thirtieth place, in the afternoon, and the luncheon committee met at the Wardman Park Hotel last night.

Mrs. Leighton Johnston is president of the City Panhellenic Association, and Mrs. Joseph D. Grigsby, cochairman with Mrs. Arthur K. Anderson, of State College, Pa., of the conference committee. Others on the local committee are Mrs. John Warlick, Mrs. Gilchrist, Mrs. B. Harrison Lingo, Miss Margaret Liebler, Mrs. Rene Reixach, Mrs. Thomas Clements, Mrs. E. J. Nichols and Mrs. Joseph Kaylor.

Mrs. George Lindsay, of Baltimore, National Panhellenic delegate of Alpha Phi Sorority, who will speak the first morning of the conference, will also be on the program of the City Panhellenic luncheon, at which Faith Baldwin of Zeta Tau Alpha, noted author, will be principal speaker.

Sorority officers attending will be: Pi Beta Phi, Mrs. Samuel Spruce, province vice president, Washington; Kappa Alpha Theta, Mrs. E. Gillet Boyce, Baltimore; Kappa Kappa Gamma, Mrs. James F. McNaboe, grand vice president, New York; Mrs. Eugene C. Andres, jr., national panhellenic, delegate, Newton Center, Mass.; Miss Marian Handy, director of standards, Crisfield, Md.; Alpha Phi, Mrs. George Lindsay, national panhellenic delegate, Baltimore; Mrs. Robert V. Laughlin, District governor, Chevy Chase; Delta Gamma, Miss Marguerite D. Winant, national panhellenic delegate, New York; Alpha Chi Omega, Mrs. Irving Brown, national president, Philadelphia; Delta Delta Delta, Mrs. Joseph D. Grigsby, national panhellenic delegate, Washington; Alpha Xi Delta, Mrs. Robert McAdam, province vice president, Linthicum Heights, Md.; Sigma Kappa, Mrs. Richard M. Wick, grand president, Allentown, Pa.; Alpha Omicron Pi, Mrs. Arthur K. Anderson, national panhellenic delegate, State College; Mrs. E. J. Nichols, executive secretary, State College; Zeta Tau Alpha, Mrs. W. C. Roberts, national vice president, New York; Alpha Gamma Delta, Mrs. C. M. Jansky, first grand vice president, Washington; Alpha Delta Pi, Mrs. Joseph D. Hubbard, national panhellenic delegate, Cambridge, Mass.; Miss Marian Boyle, province president, Washington.

Delta Zeta, Miss Irene Broughton, executive secretary, Cincinnati, Ohio; Mrs. Robert Angelo, province director, Pittsburgh; Phi Mu, Mrs. John A. Reed, national pledge director, Washington; Kappa Delta, Miss Edna Sommerfeld, national secretary, Burlington, Vt.; Beta Phi Alpha, Mrs. Alice Hanson Jones, past grand president, Washington; Alpha Delta Theta, Mrs. Baxter Smith, national vice president, Washington; Theta Upsilon, Miss Lillian K. Pontius, national president, Philadelphia; Mrs. Donald B. Clark, supervisor of extension, Philadelphia; Phi Omega Pi, Miss Marjorie L. Langenbahn, national vice president, Mount Vernon, N. Y.

Deans of women will include Miss Althea H. Kratz, directress of women, and Miss Katharine V. O'Kane, assistant directress of women, University of Pennsylvania; Mrs. Josephine B. Meredith, dean of women, and Mrs. Frances Vuilleumier, assistant dean of women, Dickenson College; Miss Elizabeth K. Lawson, assistant dean of women, Bucknell University; Miss Amanda T. Bradley, dean of women, Washington College; Miss Alice Howard, assistant dean of women, and Miss Grace Lee, assistant dean of women, University of Maryland.

Scout Troop 30 Studies Norway

Troop 30 of the District Girl Scouts will be hostess this afternoon at an "International Thinking Day" program at Eaton School. The girls of this troop, under the leadership of Mrs. Ford Hinrick, are working for their world-knowledge badges, with Norway as their study project.

Mme. Jorgen Galbe, wife of the counselor of the Norwegian Legation, will present a colored film, showing scenes in her country, and another showing winter sports. There will also be an exhibition of foreign dolls and of Girl Scout uniforms of foreign countries. Members of Troop 8, of which Mrs. LeRoy Barton is captain, will model.

Other features will be Norwegian songs by Mme. Galbe's daughters, Kari and Greta; a Norwegian dance, presented by the girls of Troop 30; a Polish dance by the Brownie Pack, led by Mrs. Chester Miller; a sea chant, sung by the Mariner Scouts, of whom Mrs. Rebecca Spitler is captain; and English Folk Songs by the Potomac School troop, under the leadership of Miss Seth-Smith, formerly a Girl Guide in England.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Stone, who attended the International Girl Scout Camp at Adelboden, Switzerland, in 1935, will describe her summer there and Mrs. Gerritt S. Miller, jr., will talk on the Juliette Low Memorial Fund, for which each troop will bring a contribution.

Arts Club Offers Comedy Today

The dramatic committee of the Arts Club of Washington will present an original three-act comedy today, tomorrow and Thursday at 8 p. m. in the theater hall of the club, 2017 I street northwest, Washington, D. C.

The play, "The Member for Merton," was written by Ednah P. C. Hayes (Mrs. Henry Hayes), and satirizes English and American divorces.

The cast includes Edith Strickland, Robert Hall, Maude Howell Smith, Maurice Jarvis, William T. Jarvis, Harold Allen, James O. Porter, William S. Hepner, Constance Etz, Mrs. C. McK. Ashbrook, Harry Angelico, Louis Watle, Tom Marsh, Charles Proctor, James Hicks and others. The director is Mrs. William Peters.

Miss Frances B. Johnston and Walter S. Studdiford will act as hostess and host tomorrow, while Mr. and Mrs. William T. Peters and Miss Margaret Leidigh and Mrs. Herman P. Riess will perform as hosts for Wednesday and Thursday, respectively.

A club dinner will be held each evening prior to the play at 7 p. m. in the club dining rooms. Members and friends of the Arts Club of Washington will attend.

Democratic Women Hear Maj. Walker

Maj. John O. Walker, director of the resettlement division of the Farm Security Administration, told the weekly forum luncheon of the Woman's National Democratic Club yesterday that 171 communities, from Maine to Florida, are being developed by the division.

"We are really concerned with the real rural agricultural projects," he stated. "Each is built with the idea of caring for the poor and destitute in the community. In some instances families have come to a community with belongings and money amounting to less than $3. In most instances these same families, after two years on a project, have from $200 to $300."

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Prepare for Regional Panhellenic Conference

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Members of the local committee preparing for the regional conference of the National Panhellenic Association met with Mrs. Raleigh Gilchrist, 4939 Thirtieth place yesterday afternoon to complete plans for the meeting which will be held Friday and Saturday. Left to right are Mrs. B. Harrison Lingo, Mrs. Gilchrist, Mrs. Rene Reixach, Mrs. John F. Warlick, Mrs. Leighton W. Johnston, president of the City Panhellenic Association, and Mrs. D. Thomas Clements

Virginia Society to Present Washington Birthday Pageant

Descendants of Revolutionary President To Play Roles in Re-enactment on Thursday Of His Wedding to Martha Dandridge Custis

The Virginia Society Thursday will give a colonial pageant and dance in honor of Washington's birthday, re-enacting his wedding to Martha Dandridge Custis. The entertainment will be in the ballroom of the Willard Hotel. Miss Earle Marshall, a collateral descendant of George Washington's mother and a direct descendant of Chief Justice John Marshall, will take the role of the bride. I. C. Buchanan, society secretary, will play the bridegroom, and the Rev. David Mosson, rector of St. Peter's Church, New Kent County, will

Mrs. E. Lee Trinkle, wife of former Gov. Trinkle of Virginia, with her husband, will be among the distinguished guests at the colonial pageant and ball of the Virginia Society at the Willard Hotel Thursday night

be impersonated by the Rev. John G. Sadtler.

Other characters will be Betty Washington, played by Miss Mary Tayloe Lewis; her husband, Fielding M. Lewis, portrayed by his great - great - nephew, Fielding Lewis. Many others taking the parts of historic characters at the wedding are descended from those whom they will represent.

Mary Washington will be impersonated by Mrs. Richard A. Allen; Augustine Washington, by Howell Carr Lewis; Augustine's wife, by Miss Mary Norris McCabe; Samuel Washington, by William Lipscomb; Samuel's wife, by Miss Doris Ingram; John Washington, by William J. Bartel; John's wife, by Miss Doris Isbell; Charles Washington, by William Pierce; Charles' wife, by Miss Marie Louise Ralph; Martha's mother, by Mrs. Thomas Franklin Stewart; Martha's sister, Fannie Dandridge Bassett, by Mrs. Lena Epperly McDonald; Burwell Bassett, her husband, by Dr. Larry Arnette; William Dandridge, by William Barbee; Mrs. William Dandridge, by Winfree Lee, and Mrs. Bartholomew Dandridge, by Patricia Saylor; Thomas, Lord Fairfax, by James A. Somerville; Gov. Francis Fauquier, by George Grove, and Maj. Chamberlain, by Fred P. Myers.

The Virginia Society's party is only one of several to be given this week. Tonight the Iowa Society will have its annual Washington's Birthday dance at the Shoreham Hotel. This is always the occasion for a contest between the Congressional districts to see which will have the largest attendance.

Tomorrow night at 7:30 the Washington State and Alaska Society will have a buffet supper at 7:30 at the Wardman Park Hotel. New officers will be installed. They include: J. J. Underwood, president; Representative John M. Coffee and Representative Charles H. Leavy, vice presidents; D. Harold McGrath, treasurer; Miss Ruby L. Bakken, corresponding secretary; Miss Marilyn L. Tollaksen, recording secretary; Miss Delia Bogue, historian; Floyd Hagie, Timothy O. McDowell and Daphne Anderson, executive officers.

The Utah Society also will have its annual dinner dance tomorrow night at the Raleigh Hotel. There will be no receiving line and no speechmaking but instead, a program of music, dramatic tableaux and narrative depicting the history of the State. Claud C. Cornwall and Lucybeth Cardon have arranged the presentation, assisted by a committee including Wayne Brown, chairman; Jay Knudsen, Eva Cluff, D. Sterling Wheelwright, and Frank Moss. A chorus of 40 voices will sing, and Bryson Rash, N. B. C. radio announcer, will read the narrative accompanying the tableaux.

Dancing will follow the program. Ernest L. Wilkinson is general chairman for the party with Mrs. Harold M. Stephens, chairman of the reception committee.

Saturday night the Missouri State Society will give a dance at the Shoreham Hotel. The program will include a talk on the life and times of Jesse and Frank James, by former Senator Harry B. Hawes, and songs by Mrs. Walter Maloney, wife of the chairman of the Coal Commission.

The Florida Society also will have its dance Saturday, honoring Senator Claude Pepper and Mrs. Pepper, and Senator Charles O. Andrews and Mrs. Andrews. The affair will be at Hotel 2400 Sixteenth street at 9:30. Dan P. Mularkey is society president.

The Tennessee Society has announced a dinner-dance at the Willard March 4. Senator Tom Stewart will be guest of honor.

Madame Chairman

By Suzanne

HILDA CONKLING, considered the most gifted poet of recent child prodigies, will be presented as a speaker today at the weekly luncheon at Opportunity House. Dorothy DeMuth Watson is chairman of speakers for the luncheon series.

SOUVENIRS brought from foreign ports by members of the Women's City Club on their world travels will be awarded as prizes tonight at the benefit card party being given by the Evening Bridge Section with Mrs. Odessa V. Glover as chairman. Ann Singleton will give the book review at the regular book hour at 5 o'clock.

WASHINGTON CENTENNIAL CHAPTER, Order of the Eastern Star will have a card party and dance Saturday night at the Wardman Park Hotel.

THE BUSINESS WOMEN'S MUSIC CLUB of the Y. W. C. A. is presenting Mrs. Marie Deal, soprano; Charles I. Haycraft, barytone, and Mrs. Elsie Harvey Weaver, pianist, in a joint recital tonight at the "Y. W." It is for members and their friends with no charge for admission.

Mme. Horinouchi, wife of the Japanese Ambassador; Mme. Irimescu, wife of the Rumanian Minister, and Mme. Molekamp, wife of the commercial counselor of the Netherlands Legation, will be guests of honor Thursday at the World Fellowship luncheon of the Y. W. C. A., at which Mrs. Minnie Frost Rands will read a Javanese comedy of which she is the author.

THE CY PRES CLUB of National University, composed of women law students, will hold its annual banquet at the Shoreham Hotel tomorrow with Miss Nina Kinsella, executive assistant to the director of the Bureau of Prisons, Department of Justice, and Representative William Byron, of Maryland, as speakers.

The dinner will be attended by Chancellor Leslie C. Garnett, of the university; Dean Charles Pergler, of the law school; Dean Eugene Carusi, of the school of economics and government, and about 100 other guests, including a number of women prominent in legal circles.

Miss Ruth C. Marvick, club president, will preside.

WARREN EMLEY, chief of the division of fibrous materials in the Bureau of Standards, will speak tonight at the meeting of the Women's Guild of American University in Women's Residence Hall. Mr. Emley, who is the husband of one of the members, will give pointers on identification of materials.

CHARLES C. WALL will address the Washington Club this morning on "Notes from Gen. Washington's Diary and His Cash Memorandum Book."

Mrs. Spry, Royal Florist, To Speak Here

Will Lecture on 'Flowers in Home' At the Shoreham

Mrs. Constance Spry, England's foremost flower decorator, will lecture at the Shoreham Hotel, March 8, at 3 p. m., under the sponsorship of the local affairs committee of the American Horticultural Society.

Mrs. Spry, who for years has arranged flowers for the English royal family, came to the United States at the invitation of the Brooklyn Botanic Gardens and has also been appointed by King George to take charge of all decorations for the English exhibits at the New York World's Fair. At the time of the marriage of the Duke and Duchess of Windsor she went to Cannes to make the wedding decorations.

"Flowers in the Home—Arrangement and Color" will be her subject, which she will illustrate with colored slides. She suggests new combinations in arrangements of all the things which grow in the garden and by the wayside during different seasons of the year and has originated many new flower containers. She has also written extensively on the subject of flower arrangement.

Her lecture here will be one of a series she will present on a coast-to-coast tour.

Presidents of the leading garden clubs who comprise other members of the committee include Mrs. Robert Fleming, president of the Garden Club of Chevy Chase, Md.; Mrs. Dion Birney, president of the Trowel Club; Mrs. Louis Mackall, president of the Georgetown Garden Club; Mrs. Paul Anderson, president of the Chevy Chase (D. C.) Garden Club; Mrs. Mahlon Kirke 4th, president of the Sandy Spring Garden Club; Mrs. Arthur Hilland, president of the Bethesda Garden Club; Mrs. Thomas F. Law, president of the Washington Garden Club.

The patronesses are headed by Lady Lindsay, wife of the British Ambassador; Lady Marler, wife of the Canadian Minister, and Mrs. Ralph Close, wife of the Minister of the Union of South Africa. Among others are Mrs. Harlan Fiske Stone, Mrs. Owen J. Roberts, Mrs. Stanley Reed, Mrs. Henry A. Wallace, Mrs. Robert Woods Bliss, Mrs. Charles D. Walcott, Mrs. Fairfax Harrison, Mrs. William Holland Wilmer, Mrs. Dean Acheson, Mrs. Whitman Cross, Mrs. Henry Parsons Erwin, Mrs. Keith Merrill, Mrs. Harry B. Hawes, Mrs. Ridley McLean, Mrs. T. H. B. McKnight, editor of the Garden Club Magazine of America; Mrs. Edward R. Finkenstaedt, Mrs. Casanove Lee, Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. Rudolph M. Keffmann, Mrs. William Corcoran Eustis, Mrs. William C. Selpp, of Middleburg, Va., chairman of the annual Virginia Daffodil Show, held in Alexandria.

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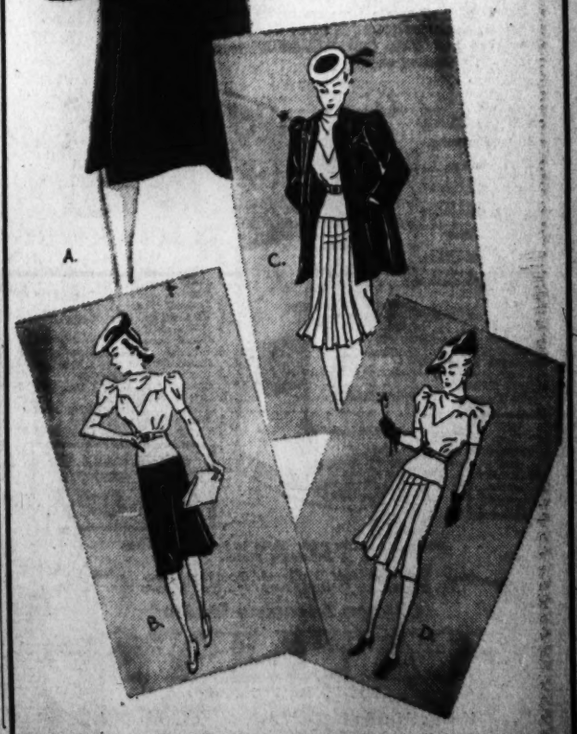

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Navy Requests Protection of Undersea Oil

Submerged Fields Being Depleted, Edison Informs Bankhead

By the Associated Press.

The Navy Department asked Congress yesterday to conserve for national defense purposes petroleum deposits underlying submerged lands adjacent to and along the California coast.

In a letter to Speaker Bankhead, Acting Secretary Edison asked Congress to declare the conservation of the petroleum deposits was "essential because the United States needs oil vitally."

A legislative proposal offered by Edison and introduced in the House by Representative Hobbs (Democrat), of Alabama, would authorize the Attorney General to maintain the reserves and "to remove from territorial waters all persons and instrumentalities engaged in taking or in attempting to take any of such petroleum without any superior right or interest, and without the consent and permission of the United States."

Fears Overproduction

Edison said "a serious depletion" is taking place in these deposits. He referred to recent contracts whereby the State of California and the City of Long Beach, Calif., authorized the drilling of 177 wells at Huntington Beach and Long Island, "the two largest known submerged fields."

Edison said "none of this oil is needed at the present time and its production merely aggravates an existing overproduction situation."

The drilling, he continued, "should be stopped, at least until it is determined . . . just what rights the Federal Government has in these oil deposits."

Much Oil Exported

A large percentage of California's refined petroleum products, he said, "is shipped abroad, an enormous portion of which is going to establish emergency war supplies for foreign nations."

One nation, he said, obtained 30,000,000 barrels of crude and refined oil products from the area in 1937. The nation was not named.

"It becomes a matter of extreme importance in connection with the national defense that the oil reserves in this area should be built up rather than seriously and irreparably depleted," Edison concluded.

Peter Frailey's Grandparents to Share Custody

A court battle over 6-year-old Peter W. Frailey ended happily yesterday with an agreement that the boy would share the homes of his grandparents.

With the settlement the boy's father, Augustus S. W. Frailey, of Miami, Fla., withdrew a suit for a writ of habeas corpus, filed February 10.

The boy's mother, Mrs. June Cushing Frailey, died February 6. The couple, married in 1931, were divorced last July.

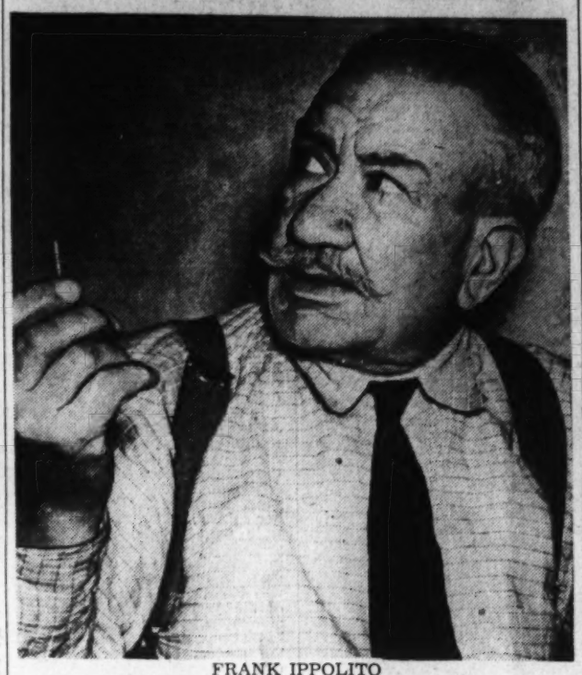
By the agreement Col. Charles L. Frailey, prominent Washington attorney, and Mrs. Frailey, grandparents of Peter, will share custody with Mrs. Ciel Crooke Cushing.

9 D.C. Men to Join Rubber Centennial

Nine Washington men left Sunday to attend the celebration of the 100th anniversary of rubber in Akron, Ohio, Thursday when presidents of 122 of the State's rubber companies will join in the centennial observance.

The local representatives of the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co., who will attend celebration of the company's fortieth anniversary are A. E. Tracy, L. J. Bartell, J. R. Burkle, I. G. Baughman, L. Gordon, J. W. Tulloss, A. S. Pratt, W. Dawson and C. A. Ammann.

Policeman With One Accident On Beat in 25 Years Retires



FRANK IPPOLITO
gesticulates with toothpick during interview

Veteran Himself the Victim As He Rescues Child From Car; Once Fined for Losing Badge

After more than 25 years on the force with only one accident on his beat, and that to himself when injured while saving the life of a 5-year-old girl, Frank Ippolito, long a familiar figure on Capitol Hill, has decided to retire.

Born in Naples, Italy, more than 65 years ago, the veteran policeman came to Washington in 1893, received his citizenship papers in 1912 and was appointed to the force a year later. He was "crossing officer" at a time when that type of policeman was paid by streetcar companies although a regular member of the force.

In 1916, while at Seventh and F streets northwest, he was electrified into action by the sight of an onrushing fire engine bearing down on a girl attempting to cross the street.

He leaped from the stand, pushed the girl to safety, but could not avoid the car himself. The car struck him twice. As he explains it, "I bounced like a tennis ball and then got hit again."

After three months in Emergency Hospital he was able to return to duty. He asked for a transfer to a beat with less traffic. He was stationed at the Delaware avenue entrance of the Senate Office Building, where he greeted Senators for 20 years.

Excluding his accident, there was only one other incident to mar his term of duty. That was in 1925, when he was fined $2 for losing his badge. "It wasn't really a fine," he said, "I guess they used the money to pay for my new badge."

Ippolito decided to retire last month. He had been on sick leave since early in February. His retirement becomes effective March 1, because of disability. When seen yesterday, his well-known smile was much in evidence as he rested at his home, 81 K street northwest, and contemplated a future unmarred by fire engines, stray children and lost badges.

Virginia Society To Enact Nuptials Of Washington

The marriage of George Washington to the young widow Martha Custis will be reenacted Thursday at the annual Colonial ball and pageant in the Virginia society's hall.

Miss Earla Marshall, direct descendant of Chief Justice John Marshall, will portray the part of the bride and I. C. Buchanan, secretary of the society, will take the part of the bridegroom.

Officers of the Virginia Society, which has a membership of 600, are Edwin A. Halsey, secretary of the Senate, president; Christopher Garnett, vice president; Representative Bland, second vice president; District Commissioner Melvin C. Hazen, third vice president; Fred Myers, treasurer, and I. C. Buchanan, secretary.

Mount Vernon Exercises

All District councils of the Sons and Daughters of Liberty will participate in Washington's birthday exercises at Mount Vernon at 3 p. m. Wednesday. Mrs. Ethel G. Thorpe, State Councilor, will lay a wreath on George Washington's tomb.

Relief Corps Auxiliary Gets D. A. R. Bid

The president and staff of the Department of the Potomac Woman's Relief Corps Auxiliary of the Army of the Potomac have been invited to participate in the Washington's Birthday celebrations of the Daughters of the American Revolution, the department announced yesterday.

Briton Praises Subsidies for House Building

Government Aid Stimulates Private Industry, He Says

Government subsidized housing has been found in England to stimulate, rather than hamper, building by private industry, Capt. Richard L. Reiss, British housing expert, told Washington members of the National Public Housing Conference, Central Housing Committee, and Alley Dwelling Authority, at a joint luncheon at the Cosmos Club yesterday.

During the past 20 years, while over 1,000,000 houses were built with government funds in England, 3,000,000 were built by private industry, Reiss explained, and in the last three years private building enterprise has been more active than ever before in England.

Although American housing problems differ in detail from those in England, he declared, they are the same in principle. In both countries the first problem is to house families with two or more children, but the difference in rent between large and small apartments should be very small, according to Reiss. Large families need more room than small ones, he said, but cannot afford higher rents.

English experience has shown that in 19 cases out of 20 slum-dwellers do not re-create unhealthy living conditions in their new homes, Reiss asserted, provided the management is firm and sympathetic.

Reiss observed that the U. S. H. A. suffers from a disability unknown to the corresponding English authority, as it has not the power to compel cities to carry out its proposals. He pointed out that St. Louis is anxious for a public housing project, but is unable to start it without enabling legislation by the State of Missouri.

Before the luncheon the National Public Housing Conference adopted a resolution urging Congress to adopt the Wagner amendments to the United States Housing Authority act to provide additional Federal contributions of $45,000,000 annually, and to permit loans to local housing authorities up to a total of $800,000,000.

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Iowa State Society To Dance Tonight

The Iowa State Society will celebrate George Washington's birthday tonight at 9:30 o'clock with a dance at the Shoreham. A silver cup will be given to the Congressional district having the largest attendance

Dr. Spinden to Speak

The ancient practice of sun worship will be discussed at 8:15 p. m. today by Dr. Herbert J. Spinden, of the Brooklyn Museum, in the National Museum auditorium.

American Legion Sons To Install Officers

Officers of Fort Stevens Post No. 32, American Legion squadron of the Sons of the American Legion, will be installed at the fifth annual Community Patriotic Assembly Thursday at MacFarland Junior High School at 8 p. m.

Civitans Meet Today

The Civitan Club will hold its luncheon-meeting today at noon at the Mayflower Hotel. Senor E. de Anzorena, of the Mexican foreign service, will speak.

Monoxide Fumes Victim Found in Auto at Zoo

Found unconscious in his automobile parked in the Zoological Park, Clinton Coffin, 48, of 2901 Connecticut avenue northwest, was admitted to Gallinger Hospital yesterday, suffering carbon monoxide poisoning. He was found near the bird house by Zoo Policeman John H. Ashley.

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Shirley Povich and a news photographer are down South right now with Bucky Harris and his team, and Povich's daily column will be packed full of interest for Washington baseball fans. Povich has traveled tens of thousands of miles with the Washington Nats, has known Clark Griffith for more than 15 years, wrote his biography last year and recently wrote a series of articles on "The Life of Bucky Harris." Because of his unexcelled knowledge of the game, and his intimate association with the Washington team, you'll enjoy reading

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Liquor Sales Sunday Ban Pondered

O'Conor's Proposal Stirs Interest As Legislature Reconvenes

By the Associated Press.

Annapolis, Md., Feb. 20.—The question of whether Maryland's Sunday liquor sales would be prohibited by the Legislature assumed new importance tonight as the General Assembly reconvened with the proposed Sunday closing law a discussion topic.

The liquor bills, introduced in both House and Senate, steadily climbed to prominence in the last week, moved there principally by Gov. O'Conor's unqualified indorsement of the plan to ban liquor sales from midnight Saturday until 6 a. m. Monday.

As legislators returned to their desks after the week-end vacation, it became evident that the measures faced an uncertain future.

From one source came the prediction a compromise might be effected on the question to permit closing of only half the State.

Senator Dudley G. Roe (Democrat), of Queen Annes, majority floor leader, commented that there "appears to be a lot of opposition" to the bills, but asserted the Eastern Shore "wants Sunday closing."

"They might work it out so the Eastern Shore would be closed and the Western Shore open, if that's the way they want it," Senator Roe said. A number of petitions in favor of the Sunday ban have been introduced in the Senate from Senator Roe's county.

Senator Louis N. Phipps (Democrat), of Anne Arundel, spoke up for a referendum in 1940 on the plan.

"Let things stand as they are right now," he said, "then let the people decide what they want. I'm certainly not in favor of passing a bill now that will exempt certain sections."

Opposition to the ban, and the Governor's previously announced stand in favor of it, left in doubt the stand administration leaders would take in debate. Proponents of the bills, including clergymen and farm groups throughout the State, have gone on record against any exemptions, demanding a Statewide law or none at all.

There remained, too, the possibility of amendments to the bills allowing liquor to be sold after 2 p. m. Sunday, instead of "keeping the lid on" until Monday morning.

Liquor debates momentarily sidetracked discussion of important administration bills so far as the Assembly's rank and file was concerned, but leaders still pounded away in committee rooms to avert a threatened jam of bills in the closing days of the session.

Budget subcommittees have been working steadily in both the ways and means and the finance committees, while the committees as a whole whipped the administration's reorganization bills into shape for reports.

Senator Roe, chairman of the finance committee, said he had called an executive session on the Governor's $8,530,000 tax bill Wednesday night. Attorney General Walsh and Deputy Attorney General Henderson will sit in on the meeting

Roe said it was barely possible the revenue bill might be reported out by the end of the week.

Dismissal Sought On Sanity Hearing Appeal of McLean

Rear Admiral Mark L. Bristol, retired, trustee for Edward B. McLean, former newspaper publisher, yesterday asked the District Court to dismiss McLean's appeal for a hearing on his mental competency.

McLean, through Attorney George L. Fraser, told the court he was held illegally at the Enoch and Sheppard Pratt Hospital in Towson, Md., after Justice Laws had ordered him to be notified of litigation involving the $10,000,000 estate left by McLean's father, and to show cause why he should not be adjudged insane in the District.

Acting for Admiral Bristol, Attorney Neil Burkinshaw attacked McLean's answer on the ground it did not bear the signature of McLean, but was in fact the answer of Fraser "under a pretended claim of authority." Burkinshaw declared Fraser had not seen McLean since November, 1933.

Western Lambs Gain 25 Pounds On Maryland Food

College Park, Md., Feb. 20 (*AP*).—Three hundred five Western range lambs, transplanted to Maryland three months ago as an experiment by Four-H Club boys will go on the auction block at the Union Stockyards in Baltimore in the first Four-H Club Weste lamb show and sale.

The lambs, a full carload, were bought from an Omaha commission house November 20 to determine whether certain Maryland farm crops could be utilized successfully for feed.

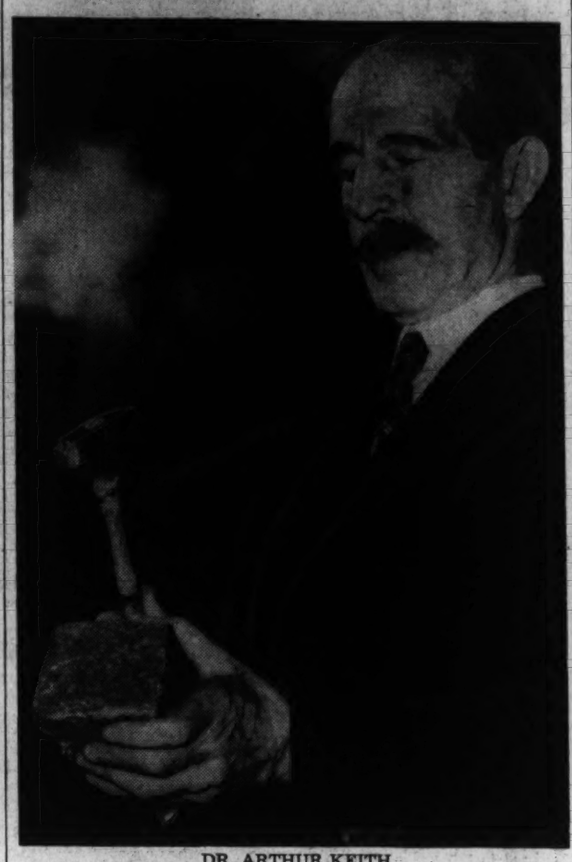
Mylo Downey, assistant boys' club leader at the University of Maryland extension service which sponsored the plan, said the lambs averaged about 60 pounds each when bought, and in three months have shown an average gain of 25 pounds each.

Gov. Price on Trip

Richmond, Va., Feb. 20 (*AP*).—Gov. Price will be away from his office until Saturday, aides said today. He will be at Alexandria for a Masonic meeting on Wednesday and will attend a colonial ball of the Virginia Society in Washington Thursday.

Life Begins at 70

53 Years a Geologist, He Still Studies Rocks



DR. ARTHUR KEITH

Arthur Keith, Long Retired From Survey, Tracks Down Appalachian Mountains as His Hobby

(This series is about men and women 70 or older who are finding that so-called "old age" is really a lot of fun. They still are producing and getting a big thrill out of their work or hobbies. You know some qualifiers. Tell us who they are.—Editor's note.)

Geologists apparently are a sturdy, indefatigable lot.

After nearly 53 years in the profession, Arthur Keith still looks forward to his summer field trips and the bruising encounters with mountains and streams which they entail. Long since retired from the Geological Survey, he continues his rock sleuthing with the zest of an ambitious beginner.

A detective, indeed, is what Mr. Keith has been during his long career, a sort of G-man tracking down not a mere band of desperadoes, but a whole mountain system. For over 50 years—with occasional interruptions, of course—he worked at tracing the Appalachians, from their "rising point" in northern Alabama to where they disappear beneath the waters of the Gulf of St. Lawrence. The shadowing job is about over and Mr. Keith is now writing his exhaustive report for the Geological Survey of America.

At Harvard ('85) he was heavyweight wrestling champion, No. 2 in the varsity shell and a letter man at football. Maybe the rigorous exercise he got on mat, river and gridiron was just the physical conditioning he needed for the career he picked out. Then again, up in his third-floor den, there hangs a picture of the class of 1885 freshman football squad and Mr. Keith is the only member still alive.

"So that looks like fuel for the arguments of those who say college sports are harmful," he says.

Mr. Keith is fairly tall, grey-mustached, blue-eyed and the custodian of hundreds of mineral specimens—granite, limestone, garnet, quartz, etc.—scattered all through his home at 2210 Twentieth street northwest. His den presents such a chaotic disarray of notes, books, pictures, maps and specimens as would do credit to the tolerance and patience of the most liberal-minded wife. In this instance, she happens to be a jolly person who has accompanied her husband on more than 100,000 miles of field trips.

Mrs. Keith has gone with him the last five summers to the Gaspe Peninsula of Quebec, which Mr. Keith is surveying under a special grant made by the Geological Survey of America. The terrain is the most difficult of any he has ever encountered and he is not exactly sorry that the worst part of the field work is over.

A native of St. Louis, his first job after graduation was with the Massachusetts State Topographical Survey in 1886-87. He joined the U. S. Geological Survey in the latter year, going into Tennessee to begin his sleuthing of the Appalachian system. He was the first man in the survey to be equipped with an automobile. It was a Ford which, according to Mr. Keith, was the first one sold in Washington.

He has driven his present coupe 81,000 miles since 1927, most of this mileage being in field work. Since that first Ford he has motored 150,000 miles, he estimates, without a serious accident.

He was retired from the Geological Survey for age in 1934. A few months earlier, when he was in his seventieth year, he was selected by President Roosevelt to go into Tennessee to the site of the proposed Norris Dam and determine whether geological conditions were such as to warrant initiation of that vast project. Mr. Keith, who had made a thorough study of the stratigraphy many years earlier, required just two weeks to reach the decision that the site was right. He recommended accordingly and the dam was built.

In the accompanying photograph Mr. Keith is shown whacking at a chunk of granite with the sampling hammer he has carried around with him for more than 35 years.

Friends Boom Johnson, Ridgely For Md. State Police Post

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Annapolis, Md., Feb. 20.—Friends of Capt. Edward McK. Johnson and Lieut. Ruxton Ridgely, both officers of the Maryland State police force, are busy these days advancing the candidacies of the two men for the superintendency of the department to succeed Maj. Elmer F. Munshower, of Frederick, whom Gov. O'Conor is expected to replace within a few days.

Capt. Johnson has the support of a host of friends in Baltimore and throughout the State. He is a military man, havin served on the Mexican border and World War, being mustered out as a captain. He was commissioned a major in the reserves after attending the infantry school at Fort Benning in 1922.

Lieut. Ridgeley, who is socially prominent in Baltimore, was graduated from Virginia Military Institute in 1922. While in school he commanded a field battery and was active in the cadet corps.

Both Capt. Johnson and Lieut. Ridgely joined the department in 1931. Lieut. Ridgely is in charge of the Eastern Shore district, with headquarters at Easton.

Lieut. Ridgely is reported to have the support of 14 members of the State Senate.

As both officers are under the merit system, it was indicated in administration circles that it was doubtful the Governor would appoint Ridgely to the post over Capt. Johnson, his superior.

CAPT. JOHNSON

While Maj. Munshower is a Republican, having been appointed superintendent by former Gov. Nice, he has the support of the Frederick County Democratic Central Committee for reappointment. Maj. Munshower formerly was mayor of Frederick.

Medical Men Attack Indictments

Charge They Were Denied Constitutional Rights in Grand Jury Hearings Here

Three medical societies and 21 prominent physicians yesterday told the District Court they had been indicted "illegally" for criminal conspiracy by a grand jury whose hearings were conducted "in violation of law." The "alleged indictment," they charged, was unconstitutional.

In a plea filed with the clerk of the Criminal Court, the defendants protested failure of the court to instruct the grand jury in the law, scored the secrecy of the hearings, and declared the prosecution under the indictment would be a denial of their constitutional rights.

Named in the indictment last December were the American Medical Society, the District Medical Society, the Harris County Medical Society, five A. M. A. officials, the Washington Academy of Surgery and 16 prominent Washington physicians. They were charged with conspiracy to restrain the trade of Group Health Association, its members and staff, and other Washington physicians and hospitals, in violation of the Sherman antitrust act. The indictment was returned after nine weeks of testimony presented to the special grand jury.

Defendants Claim Injury

Declaring they should not be compelled to answer the indictment, the defendants said the "illegal grand jury proceeding" and the "alleged indictment" had injured them in particular by forcing them to defend themselves against an indictment "illegally found by the grand jury conducted in violation of law," and by threatening them with loss of rights and liberty without due process of law.

Their plea said Justice Proctor had erred in his instructions to the grand jury, by telling the jurors they would receive advice on any legal questions that might arise from the special assistants to the Attorney General who represented the Government at the hearings.

"It was the duty of the court to instruct the grand jury as to the law," the plea said, adding "the special Assistants Attorney General had no lawful right or power to instruct the grand jury as to the law." The plea said the District Medical Society during the grand jury sessions was denied a motion to have the court instruct the jury on the meaning and extent of the Sherman act.

Lawful Rights Prejudiced

Lack of these instructions by the court, the plea said, had prejudiced the lawful rights of the defendants, and had represented a denial of due process of law under the Constitution. Also erroneous, the plea said, was the following portion of Justice Proctor's charge to the jury:

"When it comes to a determination of the matter, you should only, as individual members of the grand jury, vote for an indictment when, in your conscientious judgment, you are led to believe, from such sworn testimony and evidence only, that there is probable cause to believe that a criminal statute of the United States has been violated; and as to the individuals against whom charges may be pending before you with respect to such violations, when there is probable cause to believe such particular individuals to be guilty of such violations."

Their plea objected that before an indictment may be lawfully returned it is necessary that the grand jury find from testimony that a criminal statute has actually been violated.

The A. M. A. said they had been forced to produce for the grand jury records which were "irrelevant" to the hearing, and dealt with happenings outside the District. The subpenas ordering the production of these records had been represented "illegal search and seizure," they said.

Denied Right of Questioning

The physicians and their attorneys said they had been denied permission to question the grand jurors in court and to examine the minutes of the secret hearings, and thus had been prevented from showing the court facts about the indictment. They asked that the court examine the minutes of the hearings, and give the defendants permission to examine them, too, for the purpose of finding what instructions the Government atorneys gave the grand jurors.

The plea carried the signatures of Seth W. Richardson, attorney for the A. M. A. and the Harris County Society; Charles S. Baker, attorney for the District Medical Society and the Washington Academy of Surgery; Morris Fishbein, Olin West, William C. Woodward, William D. Cutter and Rosco G. Leland, of the A. M. A.

The following Washington physicians, named in the indictment, also signed the plea: Thomas F. Mattingly, James Bayard Gregg Custis, Thomas Allen Groover, William Joseph Stanton, Thomas Edwin Neill, John Ogle Warfield, jr., Edward Hiram Reede, Leon A. Martel, Francis X. McGovern, William Mercer Sprigg, Robert Arthur Hooe, Joseph Rogers Young, Coursen Baxter Conklin, Arthur Carlisle Christie and Wallace Mason Yater.

Youths Hear Talks On Syphilis

A youth group, from various universities, heard lectures on syphilis last night at the Twelfth Street Young Men's Christian Association, by Dr. Melvin P. Isaminger, in charge of health education, for the Health Department, and Dr. George W. Creswell, of George Washington University, chairman of the Venereal Disease Committee of the District Medical Society.

New Maryland Legislator Feted at Luncheon

Associated Press Photo.

Representative Lansdale Sasscer (Democrat), of Maryland, who succeeded the late Stephen Gambrill in the House of Representatives, yesterday was feted by colleagues at a luncheon in the Capitol. In the above picture are (left to right) Representative Sam Rayburn, Representative Sasscer, former Representative Alan Goldsborough, recently named to a Federal judgeship, and Speaker William B. Bankhead

Democratic Needs in 1940 Shown Voters

Candidate Must Please Both Party Wings, Liberal League Told

The 1940 Democratic candidate for President must be "addicted to the New Deal," but at the same time be acceptable to the conservative Democrats, according to Mrs. Lucretia Grady, Democratic National Committeewoman from California, who spoke last night before the Liberal Voters League of Montgomery County, in the Bethesda Women's Club.

She called on voters to follow the New Deal through, and asserted that the New Deal has shown how democracy can really be made to work. President Roosevelt's policy, Mrs. Grady averred, has put five and a half million people back to work in the past six years.

The national committeewoman praised the President as "the one outstanding figure in the world," lauded Secretary of Labor Perkins as having "made the forgotten man of 1931 no longer forgotten," and defended the WPA as "costing no more than an artillery barrage in a war."

Mrs. Raymond Clapper, president of the organization, also spoke briefly.

Fredericksburg To Honor Nation's No. 1 Farmer in '38

Fredericksburg, Va., Feb. 20.—Hunter Roy Greenlaw, America's No. 1 farmer of 1938, will be presented a gift from the local Chamber of Commerce during the George Washington birthday celebration at Fredericksburg High School Wednesday at 11 a. m. Greenlaw's "champion farm" adjoins Ferry Farm where George Washington spent much of his youth.

Dr. Walter J. Young, member of the Mary Washington College faculty, will speak. Mayor W. Marshall King will preside. Greenlaw will be introduced by Guy H. Brown, schools superintendent.

England's Best In Trains Arrives For World's Fair

Baltimore, Feb. 20 (*AP*).—England's proudest train, swaddled in tarpaulins and waxed against the sea air, arrived today for an American tour prior to its appearance at the New York World's Fair.

The locomotive and one of the eight cars of the Coronation Scot, London-Glasgow express, were in the hold of the special ship, Belpamela. Seven cars were on deck.

Shipping men said the work of unloading the train would take several days, the 141-ton locomotive being last. Then the train will be taken to the Baltimore & Ohio shops here to be overhauled before it begins its three-week tour in the East and Middle West.

Two Escape Jail In Kent County

Chestertown, Md., Feb. 20 (*AP*).—Two men cut through window bars with hacksaw blades, slid down a rope made of clothing and escaped from the Kent County Jail, officers discovered today.

Sheriff Robert E. Lee said the escaped prisoners were William Robinson, colored, and James Weibell. He explained they were in a second floor corridor with about 18 other prisoners. Apparently, he said, they tied a string around a bottle and lowered it through an open window so a confederate could put the blades in the bottle.

Quits Charity Post

Richmond, Va., Feb. 20 (*AP*).—Arthur A. Guild will relinquish his position as director of the Richmond community fund to accept a similar post at Seattle, Wash. Guild had directed the community fund here for 13 years.

The Weather

Weather Conditions

	A.M.	P.M.
Sun rises.... 6:45 | High tide..	9:17	9:33
Sun sets.... 5:51 | Low tide..	3:51	4:14

Local Weather Report

Today's Sun and Tide Table

U. S. Dept. Agriculture—Weather Bureau. Washington, D. C., Monday—7:30 P. M.

Forecast for District of Columbia—Cloudy and colder Tuesday, probably followed by rain in afternoon or at night; Wednesday fair, gentle to moderate north winds.

For Maryland—Cloudy and colder Tuesday, probably followed by rain in east portion Tuesday afternoon or night; Wednesday fair.

For Virginia—Cloudy and colder, with rain in south portion Tuesday and followed by rain in north portion Tuesday afternoon or night; Wednesday fair.

Conditions

The disturbance that was over Michigan Sunday night has advanced rapidly eastnortheastward to the Gulf of St. Lawrence with decreased intensity, Sydney, Nova Scotia, 29.80 inches, with a narrow trough extending southwestward to Louisiana, Vicksburg, Miss., 29.96 inches, and thence southwestward to southern Texas, Brownsville, 29.86 inches. Pressure continues high in the region over and east of Bermuda, St. Georges, 30.36 inches. Another high-pressure area is advancing eastward over the Plains States and the upper Mississippi Valley, Moorhead, Minn., 30.86 inches, with two wedges, one extending eastward to southwestern Quebec and the other southward to Oklahoma. During the last 24 hours rains have occurred in the east Gulf States, the Ohio Valley, the lower Lake region and in portions of the Atlantic States, and light snows have occurred in the southern Rocky Mountain region, the southern Plains States, and the upper Lake region. Temperatures have risen in New England, the northern Plains States, and portions of the northern Rocky Mountain region, while they have fallen in the west Gulf States, New Mexico, Kansas, the Lake region, the Appalachian region and in the Ohio and middle and upper Mississippi Valleys.

Temperature—Midnight, 67; 2 a. m., 65; 4 a. m., 64; 6 a. m., 64; 8 a. m., 67; 10 a. m., 64; 12 noon, 69; 2 p. m., 70; 4 p. m., 71; 6 p. m., 69; 8 p. m., 63; 10 p. m., 60.

Relative humidity—7:30 a. m., 72; 1:30 p. m., 51; 7:30 p. m., 40. Rainfall, 7:30 p. m. to 7:30 p. m., trace. Hours of sunshine, 2.5. Per cent of possible sunshine, 23.

Departures From Normal

Accumulated excess of temperature since January 1, 1939, 305 degrees.

Excess of temperature since February 1, 1939, 165 degrees.

Accumulated excess of precipitation since January 1, 1939, 1.62 inches.

Excess of precipitation since February 1, 1939, 1.11 inches.

Temperatures and Precipitation

Temperatures and precipitation for 24 hours ended Monday, Feb. 20, 7:30 p. m.

	High. Mon.	Low. Sun. night	7:30 p. m.	Rainfall.
Washington, D. C.	72	64	65	....
Asheville, N. C.	74	56	58	0.03
Atlanta, Ga.	72	54	62	0.77
Atlantic City, N. J.	54	46	48	0.07
Baltimore, Md.	74	58	66	....
Birmingham, Ala.	70	50	64	0.20
Bismarck, N. Dak.	10	—22	8	....
Buffalo, N. Y.	38	34	22	0.39
Boston, Mass.	66	32	32	0.09
Cheyenne, Wyo.	22	—2	14	....
Chicago, Ill.	22	22	20	....
Cincinnati, Ohio	48	48	34	0.53
Cleveland, Ohio	46	46	28	0.30
Dallas, Tex.	42	42	30	....
Davenport, Iowa	18	14	16	....
Denver, Colo.	22	4	18	0.34
Des Moines, Iowa	10	4	8	....
Detroit, Mich.	38	38	24	0.36
Duluth, Minn.	0	—14	—6	0.08
El Paso, Tex.	58	36	58	....
Galveston, Tex.	72	58	64	....
Helena, Mont.	22	10	20	0.02
Huron, S. Dak.	6	—14	4	....
Indianapolis, Ind.	34	34	30	0.27
Jacksonville, Fla.	80	64	78	....
Kansas City, Mo.	10	8	8	0.11
Little Rock, Ark.	42	40	40	....
Los Angeles, Calif.	66	48	62	....
Louisville, Ky.	46	46	36	0.42
Marquette, Mich.	10	6	6	0.24
Memphis, Tenn.	48	48	38	....
Miami, Fla.	78	72	74	....
Minneap.-St. Paul	2	—8	—4	0.01
Mobile, Ala.	70	62	64	0.30
New Orleans, La.	74	60	72	0.06
New York, N. Y.	66	54	60	....
North Platte, Nebr.	20	2	18	....
Omaha, Nebr.	6	—2	4	....
Philadelphia, Pa.	70	58	62	0.02
Phoenix, Ariz.	84	38	82	....
Pittsburgh, Pa.	54	50	38	....
Portland, Me.	36	12	36	0.01
Portland, Oreg.	50	32	48	....
Rapid City, S. Dak.	22	—6	20	....
St. Louis, Mo.	56	24	24	....
Salt Lake City, Utah	32	16	28	0.02
San Antonio, Tex.	78	46	50	....
San Diego, Calif.	60	50	58	....
San Francisco, Calif.	62	44	60	....
Santa Fe, N. Mex.	30	22	28	....
Savannah, Ga.	78	64	68	....
Seattle, Wash.	50	36	46	....
Springfield, Ill.	28	24	24	....
Tampa, Fla.	82	64	74	....
Vicksburg, Miss.	72	42	68	....

Takoma Park Buys Land for Health Center

Council Authorizes Purchase of $4,000 In Property

Takoma Park town council last night authorized the $4,000 purchase of property in the B. F. Gilbert division, 10 Columbia avenue, for municipal puroses.

The action was taken following the recommendation of Dr. C. C. Water, chairman of the council's social welfare and public health committee, that more adequate space be obtained for the Health and Welfare Center, which now is located in the Volunteer Fire Department Building.

The property, about one-third of an acre, includes a three-story frame structure, formerly the Seventh Day Adventist Elementary School. The authorization ordinance was drawn up by Capt. Harold Orcutt.

The council also approved a resolution by Councilor Fred Deuhring requesting Gov. O'Conor to appoint Ralph Shure as justice of peace in the Montgomery County area of the town to succeed H. C. Heffner, and to reappoint Paul R. Carter justice of peace in the Prince Georges section.

In a move to bar requests for grants by civic organizations, the body issued an ordinance requiring that expenditures be made only for municipal purposes.

La Roe Urges Ban On Colored Singer Be Reconsidered

Wilbur LaRoe, jr., chairman of the Civic Affairs Committee of the Washington Federation of Churches and member of the Parole Board, asked the Board of Education in a letter last night to "reconsider" its refusal to allow Marian Anderson, colored contralto, to sing at Central High School Auditorium.

LaRoe said a "decidedly sick feeling" came over him when he read of the board's action. He said, "It is nothing less than tragic to have her barred from Washington."

"At this critical time in the history of the world," he added, "it is unspeakably shameful to have the Capital City of this great Nation placed in the absurd position of discriminating against a great artist because of her color."

Suspect Held In Beating of Father, Son

Attack Followed Auto Crash on Highway Near Fredericksburg

By the Associated Press.

Fredericksburg, Va., Feb. 20.—Charles Martin, 32, of Caroline County, was being held in the Spotsylvania County Jail tonight on charges of "assault with intent to kill" after he allegedly attacked John E. Flippo, 59, and the latter's son, Leslie Flippo, 20, with a crank handle following a collision between automobiles driven by Martin and young Flippo.

The two Flippos are in Mary Washington Hospital here with compound fractures of the skull and are unconscious. Physicians said their condition was serious.

Sheriff Maxey L. Blaydes, of Spotsylvania, who arrested Martin, said Martin told him he struck the two men after an argument over the accident. Their automobiles sideswiped on a country road near Flippo's home Saturday night. Mrs. Flippo, wife of the elder Flippo, was in the Flippo car when the altercation took place in the middle of the road.

Sheriff Blaydes said Martin would not be given a hearing until it was determined whether the two men would recover.

Citizens Abandon Utility Rate Fight In Silver Spring

The Silver Spring Citizens Association last night dropped its fight for lower telephone and gas rates when representatives of the utility companies present explained that due largely to the scattered nature of the Silver Spring population, operating costs are higher than in the District.

Blair Lee, deputy clerk of the county commissioners, addressed the association on traffic problems and was asked to serve on the traffic committee with a view to amending certain ordinances.

The association adopted a resolution ruging the county commissioners to deny the petition of Frank L. Hewitt for reclassification to a lower residence grouping of property he owns on the Colesville road at the interesection of Cedar street, Baltimore road and Roeder road. Reclassification from the present A rating would make it possible to construct an apartment on the site.

Maryland Canners To Gather Wednesday

College Park, Md., Feb. 20 (*AP*).—Production problems and recent experiments in the industry will be considered by approximately 200 Maryland canners at their twelfth canning crops conference at the University of Maryland, Thursday and Friday.

Delegates will be welcomed to the opening session Thursday afternoon by Dr. H. C. Byrd, university president. A feature of this session will be the award of prizes to winners of the State "ten-ton tomato contest" by Dr. T. B. Symons, director of the university extension service.

Parley Postponed

Richmond, Va., Feb. 20 (*AP*).—The organization meeting of a committee appointed by Gov. Price to study educational matters, particularly vocational education and the curriculum in general, has been postponed from tomorrow until Friday.

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DeWitt Hero Of Victory In HardGame

Scores 22 Points and Passes to Knepley For Winning Goal in Annual Battle

By Lewis F. Atchison.

A woefully underestimated Catholic University quintet that refused to quit in the face of seemingly insurmountable odds outplayed and all but outscored Maryland last night before dropping a heartbreaking 40-38 decision in a nerve-shattering battle at Brookland.

A scant audience of 1,000 fans who braved expert predictions that the Terps would run riot saw the Cards come within an ace of scoring the greatest upset of a decade. And not until all but two minutes of play had ticked away did the Old Liners finally shake off their lethargy and overtake the foe with a late and accurate barrage of shots.

Coach Fod Cotton's Birdmen turned in what undoubtedly was their finest exhibition of the season before succumbing, and but for the presence of lanky George DeWitt in Maryland's line-up they might have won. But DeWitt, with 22 points to his credit, not only kept his mates in the running throughout the first half and personally knotted the count twice in those last two feverish minutes of play, but made the pass to George Knepley under the basket in the final seconds for what proved to be the winning goal.

Loose Play Responsible

But Catholic's loose play in the last four minutes of the game was as much responsible for its downfall as DeWitt's unerring basket pitching, for the Cards insisted on tossing up shots at the hoop instead of trying to "freeze" the ball in, those last minutes, and Maryland invariably recovered. And the visitors miraculously regained the form, in that period, that had been expected of them—but not shown, all evening. The brief burst of power was sufficient—and nothing more.

The Cardinals led all the way—after the count was knotted at 2-all and again at 4-all in the early minutes of play, and at one stage led their opponents, 17-11, in the first half as Ambrose, Pirro, White and Carrig found the net consistently. Nor were they taking long pot shots and trusting to luck for points, but rather working the ball in close to the backboard and expertly arranging the trappings for their tries. Catholic led at the intermission, 21-19.

DeWitt Stars for Terps

Early in the second half, with Carrig setting the pace, the home team prodded its advantage to 28-20, and then to 32-23 before DeWitt and his mates got organized. It was 34-25 when Bill Rea counted and DeWitt followed with a foul. White sank another for Catholic, but DeWitt and Ochesnider pocketed field goals for the Terps, and Mondorff converted a foul. Another field goal by DeWitt, who dribbled in—neatly slipping his guard—tied the score at 36-all. But Catholic forged ahead again on a snowbird by Carrig, who was wide open under the basket.

Again DeWitt came through for Maryland, sinking a pot shot from just beyond the foul zone. A heated scramble for the ball, after a mix-up near midcourt, saw the ball fall into DeWitt's hands, and this time he pegged it to Knepley, who shoved in the winning goal.

Rocco Pirro, Cardinal center who played a great game, drew a foul in the last second of play, but the subsequent effort to miss the try and get what would have been the tying goal on the shot went astray.

Maryland.	G	FG	P	Catholic U.	G	FG	P
Ochs'reiter,f.	1	0	2	Ambrose,f.	4	0	8
Rea,f.	1	0	2	Carrig,f.	5	1	11
Bengoechea,f.	0	0	0	Pirro,c.	2	5	9
DeWitt,f.	9	4	22	White,g.	4	0	8
Johnson,c.	1	2	4	Daly,g.	1	0	2
Knepley,g.	3	2	8				
Scheaffer,g.	0	0	0	Totals	16	6	38
Mondorff,g.	0	2	2				
Totals	15	10	40				

Referee—Menton. Umpire—Shirley.

Scores

COLLEGE BASKETBALL
Maryland, 40; Catholic U., 38.
Clemson, 31; The Citadel, 36.
Illinois, 35; Purdue, 26.
Indiana, 45; Iowa, 40.
Ohio State, 30; Northwestern, 26.
Duke, 29; N. C. State, 26.
Wake Forest, 46; William & Mary, 42.
V. P. I., 25; Virginia, 39.
Toledo, 49; Kent St., 45.
Salem, 61; Shepherd, 35.
Duquesne, 31; Geneva, 28.
Missouri, 39; Kansas St., 29.
Minnesota, 34; Wisconsin, 32.
Mt. St. Mary's, 41; Loyola, 38.
Kansas, 46; Iowa St., 37.
St. Thomas, 45; Concordia, 26.
Marquette, 38; Michigan St., 36.
Ball St., 45; Earlham, 43.
Creighton, 32; Tulsa, 27.
Bucknell, 42; Susquehanna, 37.
Grinnell, 50; St. Louis, 31.

COLLEGE WRESTLING
Frank.-Marshall, 18; Oklahoma, 12.

PREP BASKETBALL
McKinley, 33; St. John's, 23.
Rockville, 23; Landon, 27.

PREP SWIMMING
Massanutten, 48; Wash.-Lee Frosh, 18.

Ackerman Is Back!

Bill Ackerman has just returned from Florida. His first column on fishing appears today, Page 18, column 8.

Post-A. A. U. Tourney Set for Eastern Gym

Helping Boost Maryland Into Lead in C. U. Battle

Hand upraised and both feet off the floor, Ochensrider, University of Maryland substitute, is shown sending an important "snowbird" into the basket during last night's nerve-tingling court engagement between the Terps and Cardinals at Brookland. Maryland won, 40-38, after trailing most of the way. This goal brought the harassed College Parkers within 2 points of their hosts, and heralded the beginning of a final, victorious drive.

Post Trophy Play Begins On March 6

City's Newest, Most Modern Court Scene; Trophies and Medals To Seven Champions

The Eastern High School gymnasium, newest and most modern of Washington sports centers, will be the scene of the thrilling battles for the various basketball championships of the District A. A. U. tournament, sponsored by The Washington Post.

Miss Elizabeth Peeples, director of the Community Center, announced last night that the application for the gym had been approved.

The choice of the Eastern gym should prove popular with both tournament players and tournament fans. It provides an ideal setting for both the competitors and the spectators. The playing floor is the best in the city, the court is regulation in every respect and dressing and shower conditions are the best in the city. Although it may be necessary to shift some of the later games to a gym with a larger seating capacity, the choice of Eastern assures the tournament of getting under way in the big league atmosphere that the basketball committee will maintain throughout the event.

Teams Are Confident

Interest in basketball in general and the A. A. U. tournament in particular is higher than usual this year both among players and fans. For one thing the independent and league teams, in the boys', men's and girls' divisions, are playing a better brand of basketball than ever. For the most part, league play has been close and upsets have been frequent.

These facts have served to boost the hopes of many teams for a crack at the team trophies to be presented by The Washington Post to the champion in each class and the official A. A. U. gold medals to be awarded every member of a titular club. No team can be counted out of an A. A. U. tournament until the final whistle finds them on the short end of the score.

The history of the tournament, from its start more than a decade ago in the G. W. gym to the 1938 competition, lists a parade of upsets that have brought glory to teams which, at the beginning of play, seemed little more than a speck on the entry sheet.

A number of favorites have won A. A. U. championships, but the records show that many "unknowns" have gained the semifinals, and in some cases, the championships.

Weights Are Shifted

If you boys, men or girls have uniforms and a desire to take down one of the titles, get into the tournament. If your club does not win this year, it will gain the experience that will serve it in good stead in tournaments to come.

The only change in the set-up for the tournament this year is in the lighter classes. The youngsters will play in the 95, 105, 120 and 135-pound divisions. In these four classes the weights have been increased 5 pounds. As usual the older fellows will compete in the 145-pound and unlimited classes. In addition, there will be one girls' class.

There is no age limits. However, the individual players must weigh under the figure for their class.

With the place, starting date and classes determined, the entries blanks will be off the press at least by tomorrow night and will be available at The Washington Post Sports Department and other points to be designated later.

Cunningham And Don Lash Are Defeated

Georgetown's Relay Team Loses to Rams In New Jersey Meet

By the Associated Press.

Newark, N. J., Feb. 20.—Glenn Cunningham, the country's greatest miler, and Don Lash, the Indiana State cop, who seemed to have distance running all to themselves this season, were upset victims tonight in the annual Seton Hall College track carnival on the flat Newark Armory track.

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Cunningham was beaten in a special 1,000-yard run by John Borican, Elberon, N. J., Negro, who had sought all season to meet the Kansan at the distance. Borican beat off a famous Cunningham "kick" to win in 2:14.3, a new meet record.

Georgetown's mile relay team, undefeated in three previous meets, fell before Fordham University tonight in a special event matching the two quartets in the Seton Hall College nanual track carnival. Ford- was timed in 3:27.7.

Moizenbecker shot the Hoyas into the lead at the start, but Albert Glen took over going nito the last lap of the first leg and from there in it was all Fordham.

Almwick, slim Georgetown anchor man, clpsed up a 10 yard disadvantage and while teammates shouted "Get in stride," he pulled up to finish inches behind George Leary.

Georgetown's freshman relay team took a special 2 mile event, when Hayden held off a home stretch "kick" by New York University's sensational miler, Leslie MacMitchell, the Hoyas finished in 8:11.8, ahead of N. Y. U., and Manhattan.

Lash's defeat was the more sensational, however, since he fell at his specialty, the 2-mile run. Tommy Deckard of Bloomington, Ind., former Indiana University star, allowed Lash and "Iron Man" Joe McCluckey of the New York Athletic Club to fight out what looked like a private duel for victory until the last half mile of the race. Deckard came up from third place, passed both of them with increasing speed and finished a half lap to the front in 9:15.2.

Lash finished second and McCluskey third after Lash desperately attempted to catch the flying Deckard. John Wall of San Francisco, who ran in the 1-mile event, dropped from the race. Forest Efaw of Oklahoma A. & M., was the other runner and finished a bad fourth.

Borican's victory was his seventh out of nine starts this season and was Cunningham's first loss in his last 20 races.

Stepping out with the gun Borican overcame bids by Howie Brock, I. C. 4-A-Mile champion, and Francis Slater, Fordham University's National A. A. U. 1,000-meter titleholder, before Cunningham moved up to make his bid.

Slater passed the New Jersey Negro on the back stretch of the third lap and held his advantage until the turn into the last lap. Brock, who had pressed Borican early in the race, dropped back and Cunningham came up with his famous "kick," but was unable to get in front on the back stretch. Borican moved away to win by 5 yards with Cunningham second and Gene Venzke, New York veteran, third.

Venzke ran the same type of race as Cunningham, but his closing bid was far too short.

Va. Horses Win Blues at Camden Trials

Camden, S. C., Feb. 20 (AP).—Fadeless, a chestnut gelding from the stables of Mr. and Mrs. William Perry of Cobham, Va., took the blue ribbon in the middleweight hunter class at the eleventh annual hunter trials here today.

H. Grainger Gaither, of Westbury, Long Island, took first place in the lightweight hunter class with Christmas, a trim black gelding.

Tereus, owned by Mrs. Marion duPont Scott, of Montpelier, Vt., did well for himself as a hunter, taking a first in the fourth event for hunters and reserve honors in the lightweight class.

Mrs. George Greenhalgh's entry of Sally Port, protest and dress rehearsal gave a good performance over the difficult course and won the blue ribbon in the class for hunt teams.

Lawrin to Replace Insco, Famous Dad, At Stud in Kansas

Miami, Fla., Feb. 20 (U.P.).—Lawrin, 1938 Kentucky Derby winner and most famous son of Insco, tonight went into temporary and possibly permanent retirement, being assigned to stud to replace his brilliant sire.

Insco, 11-year-old stallion whose offspring last year earned $213,679, died yesterday at the Kansas farm of Herbert M. Woolf. Tomorrow Lawrin will be shipped from Hialeah Park to Woolford Farms to be bred to the 16 mares booked to Insco. He might return to racing next year, but it was expected that by 1940 he would become the permanent occupant of Insco's stall.

Lawrin, one of the 3-year-old stars of last year, was a candidate for the $50,000 Widener Cup race at Hialeah March 4, but an ankle injury forced his withdrawal from training. He had not raced as a 4-year-old.

Redskins Sell Air Program For Next Fall

The same sports-minded breakfast food concern which owned the broadcast rights on all of Washington's big league baseball games last year, General Mills, Inc., yesterday was granted broadcast privileges on the Washington Redskins' professional football contests for 1939.

Terms of the agreement were not disclosed, though the price was said to exceed by far the amount paid per game for the baseball rights.

The breakfast food people not only took over the game for this fall, but bid for and received an option on Washington's National League football games for 1940. The rights extend over each of the Redskins' five out-of-town games as well as the six to be played on the home gridiron, and over all post-season and championship games at home and elsewhere.

Bob Ortiz, Nats' Cuban Rookie Pitcher, Shows Great Speed

Knocks Off Catcher's Mitt With Scorcher; Lopez Praises Arm

By Shirley Povich.

A Staff Correspondent.

Orlando, Fla., Feb. 20.—Get this picture please. Imagine a tall 205-pounder, broad of back and long of arm, bending his strength into a pitching delivery, getting the ball over the plate and actually knocking the mitt off a catcher's hands.

Bunyaneque? Sure. But that's what happened here today at the Washington training camp where Roberto Ortiz, 21-year-old Cuban giant, was told to cut loose with his fast ball.

Today was the occasion of Ortiz's debut before Al Lopez, Spanish-speaking catching star of the Boston Bees, loaned to the Nats for four days as a special pitching tutor of the Cuban who speaks no English. And Ortiz staged something of a show for Lopez.

He staged a show, too, for Owner Clark Griffith, Manager Bucky Harris and 100 winter tourists attracted to the field by tales of the Cuban's prodigious fast ball. Before the gathering danced visions of a lad who may be a sensation of the big leagues if he can combine pitching technique with the tremendous power in his pitching arm.

Jake Early, the best catcher in camp, was summoned as the receiver of Ortiz's shoots in the special workout for the Cuban after the remainder of the squad had been dismissed. With Lopez, Harris and Griffith standing by on the pitching mound, the Cuban began to pitch.

For Lopez, the first pitch of Ortiz was an eye-opener. He had hurled a young bullet into the mitt of Early.

Said the Bees' catcher:

"Gee!"

A half dozen pitches later Early had had enough. He had been hit on the leg with a fast ball that dipped and was across the plate before he could get his mitt down. On the next pitch, Early was hit on the wrist with a pitch that hopped. He was being handcuffed, as baseball men put it, and Manager Harris excused him for fear a likely looking young catcher would be hurt.

Al Evans, rookie catcher from Charlotte, who, unlike Early is not a costly investment, was drafted for catching service. A bit timidly, Evans took up his position behind the plate. The first pitch from Ortiz was nothing to reassure Evans. The impact knocked the catcher's mitt cleanly off his hand and sent it flying a half dozen feet into the backstop. Gamely Evans resumed catching.

But Lopez's curiosity was consuming him by this time. He had been witching with wide eyes. "Wait a minute, I want to catch him," said Lopez. And the Bees' star grabbed a mitt and took his stance behind the plate.

Into the mitt of Lopez Ortiz continued to whip the ball. There ensued Spanish chatter between catcher and pitcher. "What's he saying, Al?" asked Bucky Harris.

"Well, Buck," said Lopez, "this kid has just been telling me that he wants to stop throwing easy and throw some of his fast balls. My Gawd, I thought he had been throwing 'em."

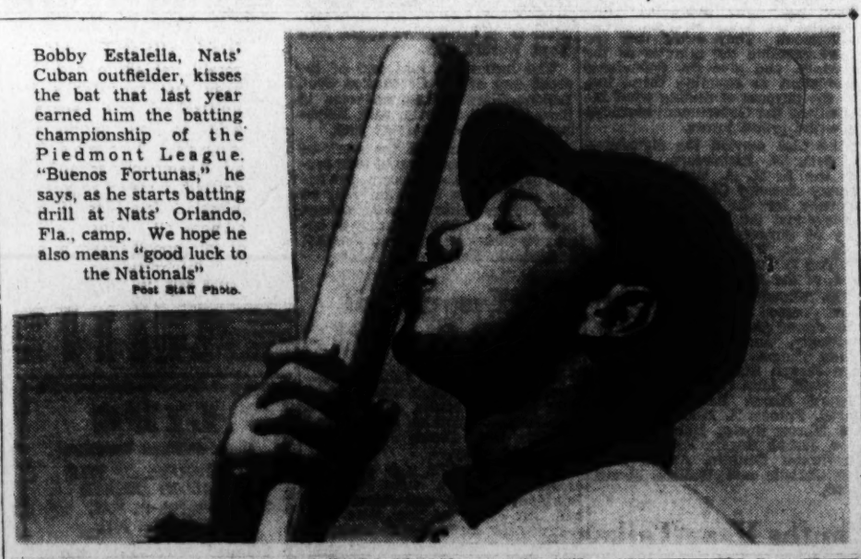
At the end of the special workout for the Cuban, Lopez was visibly impressed. "He's green, sure, but what an arm! Yes, I'd say he's as fast as Mungo (Van Mungo, of the Brooklyn Dodgers, rated as the speed ball king of the National League).

Through the good offices of Lopez, who seemingly took a genuine interest in the giant Cuban, Bucky Harris today marked off more progress with Ortiz than he has made in the ten days the Cuban has been in camp. With Lopez's help he was able to convey to Ortiz a few of the helpful hints that he was unable to grasp from Harris himself.

"Green as grass, all right," said Lopez, "but I can tell that he's intelligent. He has baseball instinct and he can learn fast. That will help him. He has an arm that's worth a fortune to him.

"And I wouldn't call him wild, either. He gets that ball over the plate pretty good. I've seen dozens of good pitchers who were wilder than Ortiz when they broke in. I wish I had his future in baseball."

Tomorrow, Ortiz will get his first test pitching to batters.



Bobby Estalella, Nats' Cuban outfielder, kisses the bat that last year earned him the batting championship of the Piedmont League. "Buenos Fortunas," he says, as he starts batting drill at Nats' Orlando, Fla., camp. We hope he also means "good luck to the Nationals"

Post Staff Photo.

Performance Pleases Harris and Griffith As He Bears Down

This Morning

With Shirley Povich

Orlando, Fla., Feb. 20.

A 67-year-old man, weather-beaten of face and white of hair, is displaying this year a patience and tolerance that is downright startling to folks who have known him. At the Washington Club's training camp here, Clark Griffith, owner of the Nats, has softened perceptibly in tone. His approach to the problems of his 1939 team smacks not of the old firebrand that was Griffith, but of a sage old patriarch who puts judgment before impulse.

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The other day, for example, Griffith calmly declared that "I am rebuilding my team with young players. I'm building for the future. The Washington club may get worse before it improves. But we are building on a solid basis."

The Washington Club worse? A few years ago Griffith would have considered that statement rank heresy. Personally, he would never make that damaging admission. He always spoke in terms of pennants and how well his team was shaping up, and why it was pennant-bound and cite reasons and quote figures. And his face would flare at the suggestion that his Nats were a second-division club or at the hint that they would be a flop.

Never Docile as Player

As manager and club owner he retained all the truculence he had displayed in the days when he was a player. In his playing days he had been a rootin', tootin', fire-eating athlete, little but loud, and with a vocabulary that could shock even an umpire. In fact, Griff was an umpire-baiter of great talent and reputation, demanding every last ounce of justice he felt was due him and any other satisfaction he could get. In fact, Griff was the only player ever to cause the suspension of an umpire. The late Ban Johnson, president of the American League, suspended Umpire Tim Hurst following an altercation at the plate with Griffith. What the umpire did was to stand as much of Griffith's abuse as he could, and then hauled off and hit him over the head with his umpire's mask.

As manager of the New York Yankees from 1903 to 1908, Griffith was a foremost figure in that rough-and-ready era of baseball with its doubled fists and gleaming spikes and the center of many of its battles. He was not above resorting to strategy that certainly would not have earned him a Y. M. C. A. secretaryship. For a time he had his own way of dealing with Ty Cobb. Mike Martin, associated with Griffith for 34 years as trainer of Griffith's Highlanders, Griffith's Cincinnati Reds and Griffith's Washington teams, tells about that.

Outsmarted Ty Cobb

"Griffith wouldn't stop at much to win ball games. Ty Cobb was just a rookie back in those days, but he was a great ball player from the start. He always seemed to ruin us when we played Detroit. With Cobb in the line-up we were pretty much up against it. Griff began to wonder how we could get rid of him.

"Finally he had an idea. Hal Chase was our regular first baseman, but Griffith told Chase to stay on the bench this day. He said Moriarty was going to play first base—George Moriarty, the umpire. He was a utility first baseman for us then. Griff told Moriarty to give Cobb the hip any time there was close play at first base and that if Cobb wanted to fight, why Moriarty was supposed to fight him—Moriarty was big and could use his fists.

"It happened in the first inning. Cobb was trying to beat out an infield hit and it was a close play at first. Moriarty didn't pay much attention to the ball, but he made sure to give Cobb the works. He sent Ty sprawling a dozen feet away. Cobb picked himself up and they went at it. Silk O'Laughlin put 'em both out of the game. That was all right with us. Moriarty wasn't a regular anyway, and the big idea was to get rid of Cobb.

"Griffith pulled that trick a half dozen times on Cobb before Ty started to get wise."

Known as Yankee-Heckler

The Nats' owner was still very much untamed as late as 1933, when Washington won the pennant in a close race with the Yankees. It was the Nats' victories in crucial games at Yankee Stadium that clinched the pennant. And Griffith credits himself with a large share in those victories. On the Nats' every appearance in Yankee Stadium the Washington owner would station himself in a field box near the playing field and heckle the Yankee pitchers and batters all afternoon in a goat-getting spree. His shrill voice had a carry, too.

This year at the Nats' camp he is not blatantly proclaiming, as in past seasons, that his Washington Club has a glowing chance to win the pennant. He admits its flaws and its weakness, particularly in its pitching. But he's serious about this rebuilding business. It isn't an act with him.

He's out there at the ball field every day, at work with his rookies, giving them the benefit of his own experience of 20 years as a pitcher (he led the American League with 24 wins and 7 losses in 1901). He isn't tabbing this lad and that as a bona-fide wonder, as in former years, when he'd babble giddily about "another Walter Johnson." He's admitting that some of his best prospects are two or three years away from the big leagues.

But he's going through with his accent-on-youth program. It has become something of a passion with him. He screws up his face and makes disparaging gestures at mention of certain veterans on his staff. The kids are going to get a chance this year, even at the risk that his club will take a woeful dive before it improves. And he is admitting that it might. That is the tip-off on the new Griffith.

Pat Malone Quits Diamond, Starts Pitching Highballs

By the Associated Press.

Altoona, Pa., Feb. 20.—Percy L. (Pat) Malone, once the "Peck's Bad Boy" of baseball, has decided to quit hurling curves and start pitching highballs across a bar.

MALONE

The 38-year-old veteran rounded out ten years in the big-time at the end of the 1937 campaign with the Yankees and last season bounced around in the minors, first with Baltimore, then with Milwaukee and then Chattanooga.

He was sold last December to Oakland in the Pacific Coast League, but he won't report there. He's bought a bar and cafe in this railroad center's downtown section.

Happier than he's ever been, the good-natured 200-pound hurler said:

"I'm my own boss now. Instead of taking orders, I'm going to give a few."

Asked why he decided to quit, he replied thoughtfully:

"I was on the top too long to go back to the minors. I found that out last year. I still think I can win some ball games, but I don't have to play in the lower loops. I'm back in the old home town as a permanent fixture.

The veteran twirler started his career on the sandlots of Altoona when he was a kid in knee pants. He played in the outfield, then as his right arm became stronger, shifted to the mound.

He hurled in the old Pennsylvania Railroad Clerks' League here for a season and in 1920 signed a contract to pitch in the Blue Ridge circuit. The season of 1921 found him with Knoxville club in the Appalachian League. In 1922, he was purchased by the New York Giants but was optioned to Waterbury in the Eastern League, and then shifted to league clubs at Toledo, Minneapolis, Shreveport and Des Moines.

He finally signed up with the Chicago Cubs and in his major league debut in 1928 won 18 and lost 13. He left the Cubs at the end of 1934, with a record of 92 victories, 79 defeats.

Joining the Yankees in 1935, he won 19 and lost 13 in three seasons.

Postscripts . . .

ORLANDO, Fla., Feb. 20.—Speaking of diamonds in the rough, the Washington Club has certainly found one . . . the diamond at Exposition Park where the rookies are training is so rough that Manager Bucky Harris has tabooed infield practice . . . the situation will be remedied when the Nats move to Tinker Field next week . . . Joe Tinker, the former Cub of Tinker-to-Evers-to-Chance fame, is in the real estate business in Orlando . . . he believes modern baseball is a vast improvement over the game of his era, with the exception of the pitching . . . pitchers of his day, he said, had better arms . . . the first sore arm reported at the Nats camp appeared today . . . its owner was Joe Haynes, the big right hander from Charlotte who complained of soreness in his right shoulder . . . Haynes will stick with the Nats this year or the Nats bosses will be greatly disappointed . . . Bobby Estalella carries a pocket dictionary to improve his English . . . he shuns moving pictures for fear of hurting his batting eye . . . in winter quarters at Orlando is the famous Greyhound, champion of all the trotters . . . Orlando is the winter harness racing capital of the country to hear local folks tell it . . . Herbert Guggenheim, Washington businessman and pinochle partner of Clark Griffith, suffered a badly mangled hand yesterday . . . he was set 200 points with a hand that figured an easy winner . . . Clark Griffith is attempting to buy the Orlando franchise in the Florida League . . . without success . . . Joe Stripp, who operates a baseball school in Orlando, denies that the Brooklyn Dodgers gave him his release . . . he says he bought it . . . Stripp will sign with the Cincinnati Reds.

POVICH.

McKinley Tech's Five Defeats St. John's, 33-22, in Upset

Second-Half Drive Brings Easy Victory

Winners Walk Away After Half; Capt. Gallagher Captures Scoring Honors

With both sides displaying more ballet form than basketball talent, the McKinley Tech High cagers trounced St. John's Prep yesterday at Tech gym, 33-22, for the winners' second startling upset in its last two starts. It was only the second time this season the Johnnies have tasted defeat, having won 15 of their 16 previous games.

Tech started the hot brand of basketball it hopes will carry it through the interhigh championship tournament last Friday, mercilessly lashing Woodrow Wilson's powerful crew. Yesterday, despite some of the most lackadaisical passing seen around the high schools this year, the Mighty Midgets responded to a tongue-lashing by Coach Bruce Kessler at the half and won the game as they pleased.

Failed to Respond

Trailing, 12 to 8, at the half, the Johnnies also took a verbal beating from their coach in the dressing room, but they couldn't respond. Capt. Joe Gallagher, sparkplug of the team, had suffered a painful shoulder injury and the rest of the team seemed to have sympathy pains.

Gallagher marked up 8 points for scoring honors, but the best all-around work of either team was turned in by Moe Tannebaum and Marshall Dellinger, Tech veterans. While their teammates and St. John's players floundered ludicrously, Tannebaum and Dellinger performed steadily. The latter scored 7 points for second place in the scoring.

Long Aerials Help

Most of the Johnnie points came on aerials from far out in the court, and Tech reversed the procedure by tallying mostly from under the basket. At the first quarter Tech led only 4 to 3, but by the third period it had increased its 4-point advantage at halftime to 24 to 14. It coasted the rest of the way.

Tech.	G	FG	P	St. John's.	G	FG	P
Edwards,f	2	0	4	Cady,f	2	0	4
Walsh,f	1	1	3	Batchelder,f	2	0	4
Shulman,f	1	0	2	Corrado,f	0	0	0
DeLeon,c	2	0	4	Munhall,c	0	1	1
Kendall,g	3	0	6	Hunt,c	0	1	1
Tan'baum,g	1	1	3	Mulvihill,g	2	0	4
Dellinger,g	3	1	7	Gallagher,g	3	2	8
Blank,g	2	0	4				
Totals	15	3	33	Totals	9	4	22

Referee—Mitchell.

Schott Will Present Cup At Rockville

Cage Teams Vie for Sportsmanship Trophy In Annual Tourney

For the eleventh consecutive year, Principal L. Fletcher Schott, of Richard Montgomery High, Rockville, will present the Sportsmanship Cup winner to the boys senior high division in the Annual Sportsmanship Basketball Tournament, which is slated for March 2 and 3 in the Rockville gym.

Schott originated the sportsmanship idea at Montgomery High back in 1938, and every year since it has been one of the outstanding features of Montgomery County play.

This year the tournament will include, besides senior boys teams, cage fives of nearby junior high schools and girls teams. Seeking the sportsmanship Trophy, however, will be the home school, Bladensburg High, Sherwood Hall and Charlotte Hall Military Academy.

Girls teams invited are Sherwood, George Washington High, Poolsville and the sextet from Rockville. Gaithersburg, Richard Montgomery, Sherwood and Friends School are the junior entries.

The tournament is for the purpose of stressing clean and foulless cage play. The winner of each game will be allotted ten points for the victory, but one point will be sliced from that for every personal foul committed. The Sportsmanship Trophy will go to the team having the largest point total thus earned.

The schedule:

Thursday, March 2—4:30, Montgomery Jr. vs. Gaithersburg Jr.; 5:30, Sherwood Jr. vs. Friends Jr.; 6:30, Sherwood Girls vs. Montgomery Girls; 7:30, George Washington Girls vs. Poolesville Girls; 8:30, Bladensburg Boys vs. Charlotte Hall; 9:30, Sherwood Boys vs. Montgomery Boys.

Friday, March 3—7:00, Junior finals; 8:00, Girls finals; 9:00, Boys finals.

Pritchett Urges New Field House

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Charlottesville, Va., Feb. 20.—The University of Virginia's needs for a field house large enough to provide space enough for its expanded program of athletics and physical education and to provide more seats for indoor sports events have been outlined by Norton Pritchett, director of athletics, in the February issue of the University Alumni News which is being mailed to alumni association members over the week-end.

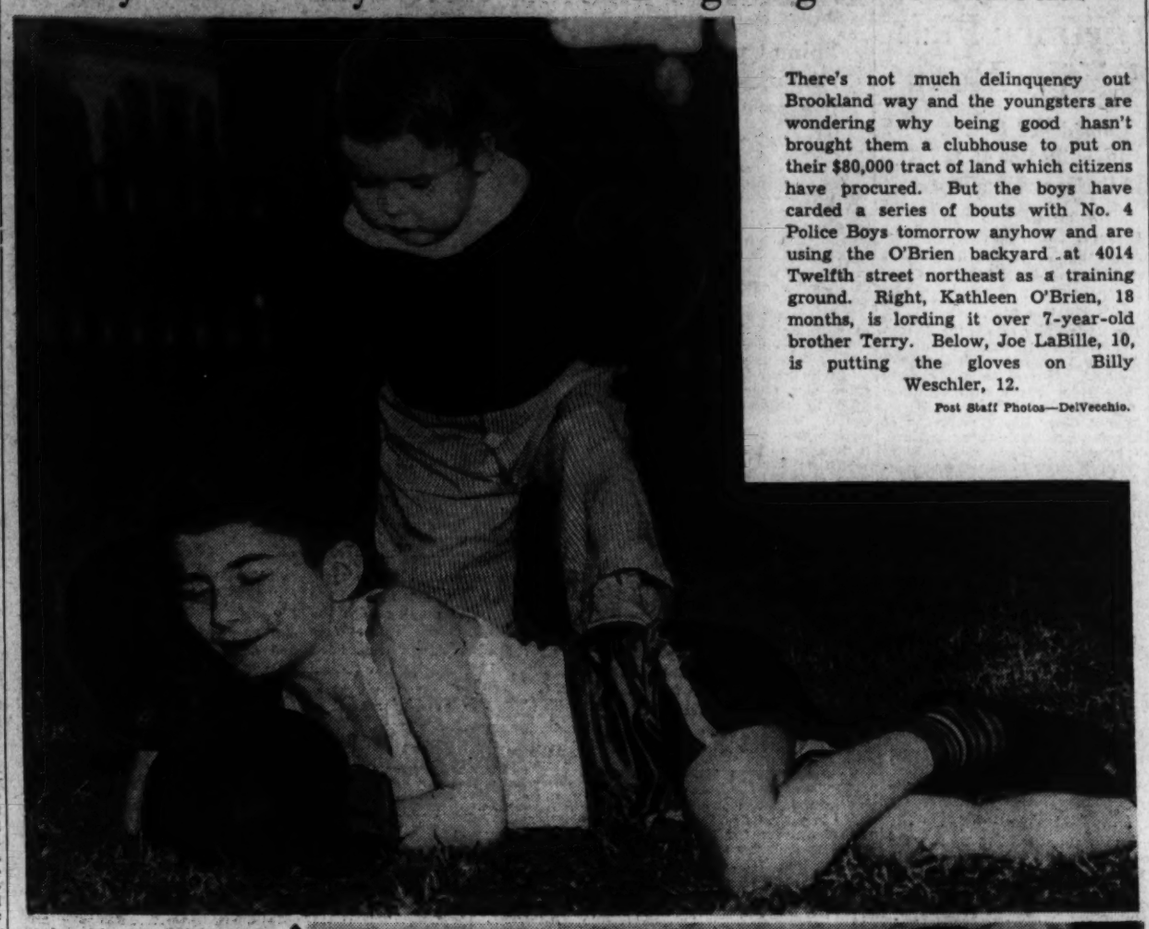
Because of "the acute situation that now confronts all of us who are conducting the program of athletics and physical education," writes Mr. Pritchett, "the most urgent material need of the University of Virginia is an indoor amphitheater or field house."

Dapper Dan Plays Hot Shoppes Fine

At 9:30 tonight Dapper Dan, currently matching the undefeated stride of undefeated Federal Bureau of Investigation, will engage Hot Shoppes in the amateur league at Heurich gymnasium.

At 8:30 Delaware and Hudson faces the vastly improved St. Martin's five while W. W. Chambers opposes Little Tavern at 7:30 o'clock.

Turkey Thicket Boys of Brookland Fighting for Clubhouse



There's not much delinquency out Brookland way and the youngsters are wondering why being good hasn't brought them a clubhouse to put on their $80,000 tract of land which citizens have procured. But the boys have carded a series of bouts with No. 4 Police Boys tomorrow anyhow and are using the O'Brien backyard at 4014 Twelfth street northeast as a training ground. Right, Kathleen O'Brien, 18 months, is lording it over 7-year-old brother Terry. Below, Joe LaBille, 10, is putting the gloves on Billy Weschler, 12.

Post Staff Photos—DelVecchio.

Brookland Lads Ready to Fight For Clubhouse

Youngsters Battle No. 4 Police Boys Tomorrow Night

The youngsters out Brookland way want a boys club. They are just a little peeved about it, too. They have tried to determine why this section and that section has a boys club and the gang out by the new Michigan Avenue Bridge has to play outside or not at all. Investigation has shown that the reason they do not have a club and a clubhouse is because they are too good.

They just can't understand why being good boys shouldn't bring them reward. However, the truth is that a survey shows that there is little, if any, juvenile delinquency in that neighborhood; hence, the powers that be see no reason to "save" these boys.

Ready to Fight

But the youngsters are not going to tread water any longer. No sir, they're going to fight for a boys club—at least ten boys will do the fighting. The scene will be the St. Anthony's Hall, which Father Grace has given them for tomorrow night. Yes, ten young fellows, coached by Pop Volper, will take on ten boys from the No. 4 Police Boys Club in a show that will (they hope) bring in the first money towards a modern boys club.

With the aid of the Michigan Park Citizens Association and other civic and church groups, the boys of the neighborhood are well taken care of in good weather. They have an $80,000 tract, known as Turkey Thicket, which has been turned into a playground. The site used to be Hutchinson's field where many athletes who afterward made their mark in high school and college got their first sports competition.

Drafted Into Service

Pop Volper was assigned to the field last year as a physical instructor and he made a big hit with the boys. However, he was transferred elsewhere. But on a recent cold day, the Brookland gang stomped its collective feet and decided that a gymnasium, showers and possibly a swimming pool was the big need of the neighborhood.

It was agreed that Pop, an energetic little Scotchman, could help them. They drafted him and he said he would help get the ball rolling.

So tomorrow night, ten boys, ranging in weight from 50 to 105 pounds, will fight for the foundation of the Michigan Park Boys Club. Tickets are from 25 cents, general admission, to $1.10 ringside.

Good boys must play, too.

D.C. Baseball Loop Draws Charter

At a meeting of the District of Columbia Amateur Baseball Association a constitution was drawn which is most liberal to member leagues, teams and players. Every item pertinent to leagues, teams and players was thoughtfully and intelligently considered before the drawing of the constitution. The constitution, having been drawn by the officers of the association, will be published and accessible to all leagues and persons interested in sandlot baseball within two weeks.

The association wishes to bring to the notice of the public that its purpose is not only the perpetuation and betterment of sandlot baseball, but that the leagues under its supervision may function on a more friendly basis for all concerned. In other words, the association wishes to present itself to the sandlot fans as a mediary which will work to the best interests of only leagues, teams and players, but will endeavor to produce a city series each year which will meet with the approval of everyone.

Wanta Buy a Club?

San Diego, Calif., Feb. 20 (AP).—The Evening Tribune said today in a copyright story that the San Diego Club of the Pacific Coast Baseball League would be offered for sale before the end of the week.

Terp Ringman May Be Lost For Tourney

The possibility that Maryland's delegation to the Southern Conference boxing tournament this week-end will be reduced to six men seemed probable last night as Nathan Askin, regular 145-pounder, pulled up with an ailing arm and little inclination to don the gloves.

Askin, moreover, is thinking first of his tennis career, and made it clear that he would rather not box if there was the faintest possibility of incurring more serious injury. Les Bopst, tennis coach, he added, was against his entering the tournament on the grounds that the damaged arm should be rested and treated to insure its complete recovery for the court campaign.

Askin did no boxing yesterday, but confined himself to roadwork and the punching bags. But Heine Miller, ring coach, scoffed at the suggestion that the boy might not be entered in the tournament.

"His name already has been forwarded to tournament officials for the draw, and you can put me on record as saying he's going to be one of the biggest surprises of the affair. If you saw him against Rutgers I don't think you'll say there is anything seriously wrong with his arm. The boy's just found himself as a fighter, and you're going to see one of the best welterweights in the conference when he steps into the ring."

Askin, however, doesn't appear overanxious to make the trip, and wants assurance that nothing is seriously wrong with the flipper before he fights again. The trouble has been brewing over a period of two months, he said, with no definite sign of improvement during that period.

There was nothing wrong with the other Terrapins yesterday afternoon, however, as they boxed three brisk rounds, took a few turns around the quarter-mile track, and punched the bag three more rounds in preparation for the tournament.

Two Minnesota Players Signed By Green Bay

Chicago, Feb. 20. (AP).—E. L. (Curly) Lambeau, coach of the Green Bay Packers of the National Pro League, announced today he had signed Larry Buhler, fullback, and Charles Schultz, tackle, both of Minnesota, to a player contract for next fall.

Both players were members of the Gopher varsity last fall.

Buhler only recently was discharged from a Minneapolis hospital, where he was under treatment for injuries received in a car wreck early in December.

Howard Five Defeats Shaw In Rough Game

Playing a fast and furious game, rough enough in spots to draw the spectators on the court, the Bison Quintet of Howard University last night defeated the Shaw University Five of Raleigh, N. C., 37-31.

The game, at the start, was a nip-and-tuck affair, to a 19-19 tie at the half, but the Bisons came back at the begining of the second half and quickly drew away to a 26-19 count on "Flip" Jackson's birdie and looping one-handers by Parker and Felton. The ability of Marable to draw foul shots at this point, nearly tied the score, as he secured six attempts from the foul line in succession and made them all.

The North Carolinians used a Western style of set plays somewhat confusing to the Bisons, who relied, in the main, on their fast offensive, in which Felton and Parker starred.

Howard.	G	FG	P	Shaw.	G	FG	P
Jackson,f	3	2	8	Tibbs,f	1	0	2
Felton,f	3	1	7	Marable,f	1	6	8
Giles,f	2	2	6	Brock,f	3	5	11
Parker,c	6	0	12	Hill,f	0	0	0
Penwick,c	1	0	2	P. Williams,c	0	2	2
Wood,g	0	0	0	Marshall,c	0	0	0
Jones,g	0	2	2	Creacy,g	4	0	8
				Christian,g	0	0	0
Totals	18	7	37	Howard,g	0	0	0
				J. Williams,g	0	0	0
				Totals	9	13	31

Referees—Huiswood and Porter.

Gonzaga Routs Kendall Quint In Tune-up

Gonzaga's Purple basketers, after losing three games last week, began this week's activity auspiciously yesterday, swamping Kendall School's cage five, 37-15, on the Gonzaga floor. The winner was away to a fast start, never being seriously menaced throughout.

Freddy Rice's customary scoring honors for the Gonzagans were shared with Lane O'Donnell, veteran center of last year who returned to the line-up recently after an illness.

The losers' scoring pace was set by Corman, who hit the ring with three field efforts and a foul goal.

It was a tune-up session for Gonzaga, which meets St. John's Thursday night in a game which will decide the Catholic Prep title for 1939. St. John's won a previous encounter.

Gonzaga.	G	FG	P	Kendall.	G	FG	P
Rice,f	4	1	9	J. Berrios,f	1	0	2
Nichols,f	0	0	0	Rabbitt,f	1	0	2
Mulvihill,f	2	0	4	Murphy,c	0	2	2
Vincent,f	1	0	2	O. Berrios,g	1	0	2
O'Donnell,c	3	3	9	Corman,g	3	1	7
Dulles,c	1	0	2				
Gardiner,g	1	0	2				
Vieth,g	1	0	2				
C'selman,g	3	0	6				
Judkin,g	0	1	1				
Totals	16	5	37	Totals	6	3	15

Ducky Medwick Returns Contract, Joins Holdouts

St. Petersburg, Fla., Feb. 20 (AP).—Joe Medwick, St. Louis Cardinal outfielder and National League batting champion in 1937, has joined the holdout ranks. He admitted today he had returned his unsigned contract, stating the salary terms did not suit him.

Asked what the club had offered him, he said:

"I'm sorry, but I never talk about salary to anybody but club officials. But I'm not worrying; let the St. Louis Club worry about it."

5 in Running For Virginia's Class A Title

Three Teams Will Be Named Soon to Play For Championship

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Richmond, Feb. 21.—The race for the 1939 basketball title among Virginia Class A high schools has narrowed down to five contenders. Three of these will be named within the next few days as the representatives of the eastern, central and western division of the Virginia Literary and Athletic League to participate in the playoff for the title, won last year by Newport News High School.

The representative of the western division has already been settled with Jefferson Senior High School having outclassed all of its opponents, but two teams remain in the running in both the central and eastern districts.

The central district title may be decided tonight when Petersburg and Hopewell high schools hook up in their second meeting of the year on the Hopewell court. Petersburg, winner by a 20-to-16 score in the first meeting between the two schools this year, can clinch the title by winning tonight.

Should the Hopewell Blue Devils win, however, Thomas Jefferson High School, of Richmond, can still tie Coach Roland Day's Crimson Wave, of Petersburg, by taking John Marshall High School over the hurdles in their second intracity meeting Friday night. The John Marshall Justices pulled an upset to win the first encounter between these Richmond rivals.

Newport News, defending State titlist, has its hands full this year to get out of their own eastern district as the winner. Hampton High School, now blocking their path, includes one triumph over the Newport News Shipbuilders among its scalps, and has only to take the other meeting to eliminate the defendants.

In the playoff for the State title the winner of the central and western districts playoff for the right to play the eastern district representative for the title. Dates and places of these clashes will be set the latter part of the week.

Episcopal in S. C. Games at Chapel Hill

Alexandria School Enters Meet for 1st Time in History

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Alexandria, Va., Feb. 20.—For the first time in history Episcopal High School will be represented in the prep division of the annual Southern Conference Indoor Track and Field Meet, to be held at the University of North Carolina next Saturday, it was announced today by Coach Charles Tomkins. Three entries will be sent to the Chapel Hill event.

The trackmen selected to represent the local school include a trio of veterans who have been instrumental in Episcopal's rise as a track power among Eastern prep schools during the last three years. They are Tom Todd, holder of State prep school records for both low and high hurdles; Don Jordan, ace miler, and Billy Suhling, varsity high jump and pole vault representative.

Todd will be the only member of the Maroon team to compete in more than one event at Chapel Hill, having entered the 70-yard high hurdles and the 50-yard dash, while Jordan will compete in the 1,000-yard run, and Suhling will vie in the high jump.

The Southern Conference meet is one of three indoor engagements carded by the Maroons before opening defense of their State prep school championship outdoors. They have already defeated the University of Virginia freshmen team in a dual meet and, after next Saturday's event, they will enter a full team in the annual Catholic University indoor games.

Unless they receive an invitation to the annual Star Metropolitan tournament, George Washington High School cagers will ring down the curtain on their current season this week with two games scheduled. On Wednesday night the Presidents entertain Glenn Allen High, of Hanover County, while on Friday night they move over to Arlington for a return tilt with Washington and Lee High.

The Presidents must at least split even in their two remaining games in order to finish the season with an average above the .500 mark, having won ten and lost nine games to date.

Davis and Elkins Opens Here With G. W. Eleven

Elkins, W. Va., Feb. 20 (AP).—A 10-game schedule for the Davis and Elkins football team next fall was announced today by Coach Harry Shelton. It included:

George Washington at Washington, October 7; St. Bonaventure at Olean, N. Y., 14; Long Island at Brooklyn, 27.

Youngstown at Youngstown, Ohio, November 3; Moorehead Teachers at Moorehead, Ky., 18; Mount St. Mary's at Emmittsburg, Md., 25 (pending).

Trustees Appointed for Bankrupt Fla. Track

Miami, Fla., Feb. 20 (AP).—Fred W. Cason, Miami attorney, and Warren T. Eller, of Fort Lauderdale, were appointed trustees for the affairs of the Hollywood Jockey Club today during its reorganization under the Federal bankruptcy act.

Judge John W. Holland in his order said the corporation, which opened Gulfstream Park racetrack February 1 and closed after four days' operations, was solvent but unable to meet its obligations immediately.

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Down In Front

With Richards Vidmer

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New York, Feb. 20.—If anyone had asked me to draw up a list of unnecessary events in the sphere of sports I'm quite sure I would have headed the list with walking races. These heel-and-toe atrocities do serve a couple of purposes at track and field meets, I suppose. They furnish a comic relief and permit the spectators to catch their breath and relax after the cheering excitement of the other events, for one thing. For another, properly placed on the program, the offer an interlude in which the spectators can get up and go out for a beer and a hot dog with the confident assurance they they won't miss anything.

VIDMER.

But a dispatch from Eklutna, which is in Alaska, has caused me to revise any list I might have drawn up. It seems that there are even sillier sports than walking races. And there are worse fates than being a sports writer in New York in February. For instance, one might be a sports writer in Eklutna.

Nalaucatukers Wanted

You see Eklutna has been preparing its young and ambitious athletes for the fur rendezvous, which seems to correspond to the National A. A. U. championships. Both the boys and girls have been practicing diligently for the big events, including the spectacular Nalaucatuk. I don't know if there are any good Nalaucatukers in this country, but up there in Alaska they achieve 15 feet and better in the event.

They also perform exceptionally well in the Ahgrahg. The Epooktuk and the Ahgrakuk, which aren't competition in double talk as you might be forgiven for imagining.

For the Nalaucatuk a walrus skin is stretched tight and the competitor gets on it. Then he starts to bounce. The idea is to see how high he can bounce and still maintain an upright position when he lands. If he doesn't hit on his feet and bounce again, his last bounce is accepted as his mark.

You can imagine how exciting this event can be, especially for the bouncers.

Softballers Meet

The Metro Softball League will hold its first meeting of the season tomorrow night at 7:30 p. m. at 1004 Vermont avenue.

Rockville Cagers Whip Landon, 32-27

11th Straight Victory Won by Montgomery With 3d Quarter Rally

Richard Montgomery High, of Rockville, yesterday registered its eleventh straight basketball victory, edging out Landon Prep, 32-27. Rockville's Tommy Ray was high in the scoring department with 11 points, two better than Rayhart and Garland, of Landon.

Though out in front, 13-8, after the first eight minutes of play, Rockville saw its advantage dwindle to a scant 1-point edge at the half. It came through again, however, holding a 25-19 lead after three periods and winning fairly easily.

Rockville.	G	FG	P	Landon.	G	FG	P
Ray,f	4	3	11	Rayhart,f	4	1	9
Slater,f	1	1	3	Maloney,f	0	0	0
Wootten,c	3	2	8	Amussen,f	2	0	4
Cleveland,g	2	0	4	Perkins,c	1	3	5
Anders,g	3	0	6	Garland,g	4	1	9
				Channell,g	0	0	0
Totals	13	6	32	Totals	11	5	27

Referee—O'Meara.

Gridder's Marriage Ends in Tragedy

Tulsa, Okla., Feb. 20 (AP).—The secret marriage of Tommy Thompson, star quarterback of the University of Tulsa football team, ended in tragedy today when Ruth Breene Thompson, 24, his bride of two weeks, swallowed poison and died 15 minutes later.

County Investigator H. W. Cullison said the death was suicide. The grief-stricken young husband, also 24, said he knew of no motive for her act and that she left no note and made no statement to relatives or friends.

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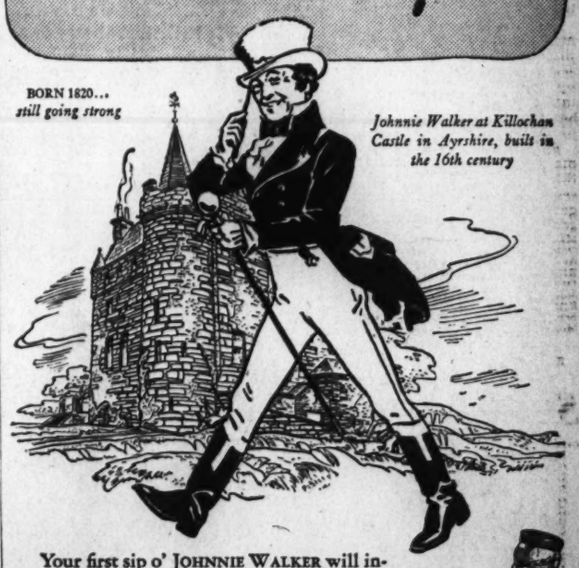

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Timeful Breezes to Victory in Hialeah Park Feature Race

Stoney Brush Easy Winner Over Vain Bo

Winner Pays $5 and Steps Flamingo Race Distance in 1:51 3-5; May Enter Big Event

By the Associated Press.

Hialeah Park, Fla., Feb. 20.—Several lesser light eligibles for the Flamingo Stakes of next Saturday were on trial in the featured fifth race here today, a grade "C" test of a mile and one furlong restricted to 3-year-olds. Timeful, a gelding representing the Shady Brook Farm Stable of Theodore Mueller, won so easily that he may earn the chance to start in the big event. Coming from behind in characteristic manner, the bay son of Flight of Time clicked by five lengths, completing the Flamingo distance in 1:51 3-5.

H. R. Bain's Stoney Brush was almost as easily second, four lengths clear of Warren Wright's Vain Bo. Wheatley Stable's Oversight was a dull fourth, in front of Greedan and Catechism. All in the field except Greedan are named for the Flamingo, but it would now appear that Timeful is the only one in the lot qualified to take a fling at the big money over the coming week-end. He was a $5-for-$2 favorite and was piloted by Apprentice Jimmy Ashcroft.

Timeful has been closing ground impressively in shorter events. He found the longer distance just what he needed on this occasion, and under 113 pounds, proved much the best of the field. Breaking well, Timeful immediately dropped back and had only Oversight headed in the first half mile. Moving up slowly but surely on the backstretch, the favorite reached contention while pressing forward on the outside of the leaders on the final bend.

After entering the stretch, Timeful easily bounced into a commanding lead and won as Ashcroft pleased. Stoney Brush forced most of the pace and, while no match for the winner, he was easily best of the others.

Another big crowd was on hand for the sport, which was decided under uncertain weather conditions. Light showers fell during the afternoon, but the racing strip was at its best.

Kentucky Derby Lists 115 Horses

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 20 (AP).—Col. Matt J. Winn, president of Churchill Downs, announced today 115 entries had been received for the $50,000 added sixty-fifth running of the Kentucky Derby May 6.

The list includes, Col. Winn said, every leading 3-year old in this country, including William Ziegler's El Chico, W. E. Doeing's Porter's Mite, Joe W. Brown's T. M. Dorsett, Belair Stud's Johnstown, E. R. Bradley's Benefactor, A. G. Vanderbilt's Impound, Mrs. Bessie Franzheimer's Xalapa Clown, Tom Taggart's Yale o' Nine, John March's Light Spur and H. W. Jackson's Ariel Toy.

Hialeah Park Entries With Marvel Ratings

FIRST RACE—Three furlongs (straightaway); nursery course; purse, $800; for 2-year-old maiden fillies.

No.	Horse and Jockey	Wgt.	Odds	Rate
8	Madam Capet (Hanford)	117	8-1	....
9	Erect (Barba)	115	20-1	....
10	Lichie Moods (Sieffen)	115	3-1	....
11	Present Time (Craig)	115	20-1	....
12	Marion W. (Meade)	115	3-1	....
13	Mountaloon (Keester)	115	20-1	....
14	Sallyhaste (Donoso)	115	4-1	....
1	†Cross Vine (Rose)	110	10-1	....
2	*Fiery Vision (Ashcroft)	110	8-1	....
3	*Toast (Littrell)	110	12-1	....
4	*Gaudy (Stout)	115	10-1	....
5	Pompoyante (Young)	115	20-1	....
6	Bracing (Arcaro)	115	20-1	....
7	Day Prank (Peters)	115	20-1	....

†J. N. Hopkinson-V. Healey entry.

SECOND RACE—Seven furlongs (chute); purse, $1,000; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

7	Gurkha (Mede)	116	6-1	323
8	Extended (J. Renick)	118	10-1	301
9	*Lina's Son (Pariso)	111	15-1	323
10	Wowo (Stout)	108	20-1	325
11	*Texas Rose (Pariso)	110	20-1	322
12	*Great Haste (Yarberry)	112	3-1	331
1	*Lady Orchid (Charlton)	106	10-1	319
2	*Black Arrow (Ashcroft)	115	12-1	330
3	Puriber (May)	117	15-1	325
4	*Chancer (Charlton)	112	10-1	329
5	*Brain Trust (Snider)	110	12-1	328
6	Ladfield (Schmidt)	115	4-1	327

THIRD RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; turf course; purse, $1,000; claiming; for 3-year-olds.

7	*Nicholas S. (Quintero)	108	20-1	306
8	*Shining Scout (Yarberry)	111	4-1	307
9	*Ann Mylee (Snider)	103	10-1	319
10	*Pradis (Nash)	110	12-1	316
11	Brown Ben (Anderson)	118	4-1	315
12	Big Bully (Barba)	115	10-1	303
1	Bing Bong (Balaski)	108	20-1	317
2	*Blue Fang (Ashcroft)	106	8-1	316
3	Calumet Red (Anderson)	115	6-1	319
4	Two Cents (De Camillis)	106	10-1	315
5	Big Ned (Arcaro)	115	10-1	322
6	Sure Miss (Meade)	113	3-1	317

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $1,000; †grade C; for 4-year-olds and upward.

6	*Ghost Queen (Ashcroft)	103	8-1	336
7	*Indomitable (Pariso)	110	12-1	339
8	Drudgery (Balaski)	111	4-1	337
9	*Gay Blade (Charlton)	110	8-1	327
10	Detroit Bull (Meade)	109	8-1	327
11	Gayset (De Lara)	111	5-1	325
1	*Prince Derek (Ashcroft)	110	20-1	326
2	Your Buddy (Simmons)	113	20-1	326
3	Knight's Haven (Barba)	111	3-1	338
4	U-Boat (Porter)	108	10-1	331
5	*Room Service (Ashcroft)	101	15-1	329

FIFTH RACE—Six and one-half furlongs; purse, $1,100; the Lake Wales; for 4-year-olds and upward.

6	*Eagle Pass (Pariso)	110	10-1	338
7	*Legenda (Nash)	101	8-5	335
8	Exhilaration (Meade)	103	8-1	315
9	*Sun Inplay (Charlton)	98	6-1	328
10	Isaiah (Stout)	108	8-1	327
1	†Crepe (Arcaro)	112	8-5	338
2	Benjam (Peters)	112	12-1	343
3	Floraging (Meade)	104	15-1	327
4	*Cruising (Ashcroft)	100	20-1	325
5	Co-Sport (Roberts)	109	4-1	334

†B. F. Whitaker entry.

SIXTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles; purse, $1,200; the Marianna; for 3-year-olds.

4	Day Off (Arcaro)	112	8-1	323
5	Royal Pam (Hanford)	109	8-5	332
6	Sitasia (Stout)	109	4-1	315
1	*Shanrolea (Ashcroft)	107	15-1	315
2	Silent Witness (Meade)	112	4-1	316
3	Maeda (J. Renick)	112	4-1	312

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles; purse, $1,000; claiming; for 3-year-olds.

6	Trim Rigging (J. Renick)	104	20-1	297
7	Darby Du (Anderson)	115	3-1	314
8	J. Ware (Schmidt)	107	20-1	298
9	*Lightning Lady (Y'berry)	102	10-1	319
10	Baked Bibescot (Arcaro)	111	20-1	310
11	Wakita (Stout)	108	8-1	314
1	*Gold Dart (Charlton)	111	3-1	315
2	Silsweep (G. L. Smith)	111	20-1	312
3	*Ellen H. (Ashcroft)	104	20-1	321
4	Vicuna (Pariso)	104	8-1	309
5	Quick Change (Roberts)	104	5-2	314

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles; purse, $1,000; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

7	*Bob C (Nash)	104	10-1	326
8	*Pindon (Snider)	105	15-1	319
9	*Harry's Dream (Nash)	103	15-1	318
10	*Flying Lance (Ashcroft)	104	15-1	322
11	*Balapin (Le Blanc)	104	15-1	319
12	*Grand Marie (Pariso)	104	6-1	317
1	*Ptolemy (Juares)	111	5-1	329
2	*Bold General (Maloney)	115	15-1	324
3	Would Dare (Peters)	115	6-1	322
4	Bow and Arrow (Meade)	113	5-2	335
5	Grand Light (Schmidt)	111	15-1	333
6	*Chatter Wrack (Charlton)	106	20-1	320

Weather, cloudy; track, fast.

Bill Bennings

At The Post

Hialeah Park, Feb. 20.

Dear Al:

Trainer Ben Jones is a sad man. The great sire, Insco, has passed on and the string of game, speedy young horses he has been sending to Jones is halted. The trainer received word of the stallion's death from Herbert M. Woolf, the owner, on whose Woolford Farm Insco died as the result of an infection. Woolf said that everything that human hands could do was done to try to save the horse. Insco, regarded as priceless by Woolf, was kicked by another horse at the farm. Woolf, Kansas City store owner, bought Insco for a song. The stallion broke down and was forced out of active competition. Insco was not considered as a good breeding prospect by most horsemen, but Woolf and Jones decided to give him a chance. Since, Insco's offspring have skyrocketed to fame and fortune in a number of instances. He sired Lawrin, a colt who caused a mild surprise by winning the Flamingo Stakes at Hialeah last winter and then went on to jolt the talent in taking the Kentucky Derby. Insco also sired Inscoelda, voted the outstanding 2-year-old filly of 1938, as well as Technician, highly regarded for this year's Flamingo, scheduled for the coming Saturday. Among others, Insco sent Joe Schenck and Unerring to the races. He has a nice crop of juveniles on the grounds here. Many are speedy. Insco was just coming into his own when death overtook him. It is a tough break for racing in general and Trainer Jones and Owner Woolf in particular. Both are fine sportsmen. Apprentice L. Littrell, whose name has appeared on the program recently, arrived from Santa Anita. He is under contract to Louis B. Mayer, motion picture executive, who has a dozen juveniles here. Jockey Tony Pascuma, from New Orleans, is another boy to join the local riding colony. The Belair Stud will have a new rider to exhibit when Trainer James Fitzsimmons puts his horses in action in Maryland. The lad is Bill Cassidy, who rode his first winner at Thistle Downs on last July 11. He comes from a family of riders, his father and his grandfather having followed saddle careers. BILL.

First race—Rallyhaste deserves a chance in a field of this sort. I understand Donoso will do the riding, and I expect him to get this one home on top. **Marion W.**, with Meade aboard, has had education and looms as the one to beat. **Toast** may make a money appearance.

Second race—Texas Rose, with 110 pounds and young Pariso in the saddle, shapes up as the right one in this field. Probably prefers a longer route, but the company is right here. **Ladfield** carries 115 pounds, but I believe Jockey Schmidt will get this one close. **Lady Orchid** is a possible surprise.

Third race—I'm going to give **Big Ned** another chance. He closed gamely last out and should like the turf course. Eddie Arcaro, and not the stableboy, will be aboard. **Sure Miss** and **Shooting Scout** to take care of the place and show awards.

Fourth race—Ghost Queen is tossed in this with 103 pounds and she will be out to show her speed. Young Ashcroft has the saddle assignment and he's a good kid. **Drudgery** should be in the thick of contention. **Detroit Bull** will have Meade up and is dangerous.

Fifth race—The Whitaker entry of **Crepe** and **Legenda** may run first and second in this sprint. Both are sharp as the proverbial tack. **Exhilaration** won under a fine ride by Meade recently and could repeat.

Sixth race—Just can't pick against Royal Pam after that one's fine stake performance. **Silent Witness** is a much-improved horse since arriving at this track and **Meade** will have him forwardly placed in the stretch. **Shambles** was an impressive winner last out and could repeat.

Seventh race—Darby Du appears nicely placed in this event. Seems capable of carrying the 115 pounds to victory. **Wakita** has only steadying weight and should be prominent. **Gold Dart** for the show end.

Eighth race—Bow and Arrow, with **Meade** up, seems the best in the day's finale. **Grand Marie** gets a feather assignment of 101 pounds, and thus rigged, is a threat. **Would Dare** will put on his usual closing rush.

Best bet—Ghost Queen.

Clocker Mike is betting $5 across the board on Big Ned.

Strong Field Will Face Barrier In $50,000 Santa Anita Derby

Total of 15 Turf Stars Expected to Seek Fame And Gold in Event on Coast Tomorrow

By the Associated Press.

Los Angeles, Feb. 20.—The fifth running of the $50,000 Santa Anita Derby on Washington's Birthday promises to draw at least 15 3-year-olds who may be regarded as genuine threats to land in the money, while several others may go to the post just for the ride.

Racing officials looked over the list of eligibles today and figured on this minimum field of 15. They added a few more possibilities whose affluent owners won't mind plunking down the $100 entry fee and $400 starting fee merely for the privilege of having their racing colors represented in the mile and one-furlong event.

Entries for the derby will be announced tomorrow around noon, but definite stable commitments today were hard to find, owners and trainers being a wary lot.

As one trainer put it, however, $500 isn't much when a candidate has a chance to crack a purse that will bring $45,000 or $50,000 in added money to the winner, $10,000 for the second colt, $5,000 to the third and $2,500 for fourth place.

Outstanding eligibles, and virtually certain starters, include W. E. Boeing's Porter's Mite, 1938 Belmont Futurity winner; Norman Church's Sweet Nancy and the King Ranch's Ciencia, two fillies; Alfred G. Vanderbilt's Impound and Mrs. Bessie Franzheim's Xalapa Clown.

Bugles Blow, Shining One, Teddy Kerry, Yse o' Nine, Hysterical, Race Riot, Morning Breeze, Time Alone, Roman Hero, Smart Crack and Bubbling Boy were included in the field of colts regarded as possible starters.

Macfarland Community

	G	FG	P
D. P. Sigma.			
Reichardt, f.	5	0	10
Tolson, f.	3	0	6
Baldwin, f.	1	0	2
Townsend, c.	1	0	2
Uccifferri, g.	1	1	3
Foley, g.	2	0	4
Rothseb, g.	0	0	0
Totals	15	1	31

	G	FG	P
Amicus.			
Katz, f.	3	3	9
Roseman, f.	0	0	0
Maizell, c.	0	1	1
Miller, g.	1	0	2
Males, g.	3	1	7
Totals	7	5	19

Referee—Sebastian.

Bet Bradley? Turfmen Pick Be Like Mom

Considered Best Juvenile Bet at Idle Hour Farm

By the Associated Press.

Lexington, Ky., Feb. 20.—Be Like Mom, daughter of the fleet Black Helen, is considered by Blue Grass turfmen as Col. E. R. Bradley's best juvenile bet this year.

The brown filly also is the daughter of Sickle, sire of such notables as Stagehand, Brevity and Cravat.

Be Like Mom is galloping daily at Idle Hour Farm with 19 other 2-year-olds.

Among other likely prospects of the young Bradley B's are Bimelech, full brother of Black Helen; Baby Sister, full sister to Benefactor, considered the colonel's best Derby bet this year; Bad and Bold, brother of Brooklyn and Bloodroot, and Boss Hoss, full brother to Blue Larkspur and Brother Joe.

Since the death last year of Bubbling Over and Black Tony, Burgoo King, son of the former, has become one of the principal Idle Hour studs.

Santa Anita Entries and Selections

By the Associated Press.

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $1,500; for maiden 3-year-old fillies.

7	Brief Moment	113	1
8	Calleva	118	2
9	Camp Ship	118	3
10	Sister Hue	118	4
11	Mary Florence	113	5
12	B'tonian Lady	113	6
1	*Cath'n Conard	113	
2	*Westy's Girl	118	
3	Torsa	118	
4	Riloise	113	
5	Sadie X	113	
6	Anaaram	118	

SECOND RACE—One mile; purse, $1,500; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward foaled in California.

6	*Shoot	108	1
7	Enoch B'land	111	2
8	Bon Amour	108	3
9	Toasta Buddy	111	4
10	Lysander	106	5
1	The Marker	114	
2	*Caritre	115	
3	Gamelon	112	
4	Bunch Boy	111	
5	Rothbury	114	

THIRD RACE—One and one-quarter miles; purse, $1,500; for 4-year-olds and upward.

7	Startline	111	1
8	Don Grafton	113	2
9	Dark Conquest	113	3
10	J'nie Nuchols	113	4
11	Thistle Air	113	5
12	Flash'g Colors	113	6
	British Tan	113	
	Sheet Shooter	108	
	Richlein	113	
	Kayembee	106	
	Foolem	116	
	Playback	111	

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $1,500; claiming; for 3-year-olds.

5	Blue Breeze	113	1
6	M'Appari	107	2
7	Fizare	113	3
8	Bay Judge	118	4
8	*Many Stings	111	4
9	Faithful Maud	116	5
1	First Kiss, r	108	
	Allez Faze	113	
	Brooks	118	
	Bang	115	
	Myrtle Isle	107	
	Brown Jade	113	
	*Mar Le	111	

†L. J. Marks entry.

SIXTH RACE—One mile; purse, $1,500; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

7	Congressman	113	1
8	Bourbon King	110	2
9	Mr. Grundy	110	3
10	Woodberry	106	4
11	Cabin Jack	115	5
12	*Merry Mood	112	6
	Primulus	107	
	Ossabaw	109	
	Jubal Junior	107	
	*Mad Money	110	
	Sabuqeo	109	
	Chanceview	112	

†L. J. Marks entry.

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $1,500; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

7	Lame Duck	109	1
8	Bunny Martin	111	2
9	En Masse	113	3
10	Desafuero	113	4
11	Frontier	112	5
12	Brass Bottle	113	6
	Tedium	110	
	Count Dean	117	
	Anopheles	110	
	*Best Beau	111	
	Decuria	107	
	Waterspitaway	112	

EIGHTH RACE—One mile; purse, $1,500; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

7	Distributa	116	1
8	B'lient Light	113	2
9	Shalot	113	3
10	*Maurice	115	4
11	Br'ing Along	116	5
12	St'ndard Time	114	6
	Tonas	108	
	Well Timed	102	
	Mars Allen	113	
	Schoolmom	111	
	Mr. Finn	111	
	*Short Bread	113	

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

SANTA ANITA SELECTIONS

1—Anaaram, Westys Girl, Camp Ship.
2—Bon Amour, Lysander, Enoch Borland.
3—Dark Conquest, Playback, Thistle Air.
4—Brooks, Say Judge, Blue Breeze.
5—Mar Le, Brown Jade, Airchute.
6—Ossabaw, Chanceview, Congressman.
7—Grass Bottle, Bonny Martin, Count Dean.
8—Short Bread, Schoolmom, Breezing Along.

Best bet—Brooks.

Royal Danieli Choice at Aintree

London, Feb. 20 (AP).—H. C. McNally's Royal Danieli, loser by a head to the American-owned Battleship last year, today was quoted the 19-to-2 favorite for the Grand National Steeplechase to be run at Aintree, March 24.

Second choice among the 53 still eligible for the classic was Dorothy Paget's Kilstar, at 100 to 8. He was followed closely by Lord Bicester's Rockquilla at 100 to 7.

At the same time H. A. Steel's Macaulay was listed as a doubtful starter after breaking down last Saturday.

British Poloist Critically Hurt

Spine Operation Is Performed to Relieve Pressure on Brain

By the Associated Press.

Pasadena, Calif., Feb. 20.—Still unconscious and suffering from a brain concussion, Capt. C. T. I. (Pat) Roark, veteran Irish-born polo star and retired British army officer, remained in a critical condition today after a fall during a polo match yesterday between England's international cup team and California's Midwick high - goal quartet.

A statement from four specialists at Huntington Memorial Hospital, where the unconscious player was rushed from the polo field, said:

"Early this morning Capt. Roark's spine was punctured to draw off fluid to relieve pressure on the brain. There was blood in the fluid, which definitely shows there is damage to the brain.

"All physical examination at this time shows there are no broken bones in the body. Two X-rays were taken, one of the skull, which shows no fractures, and one of the neck, which shows no definite fractures.

"Our diagnosis at this time is that he has a very serious brain concussion. His temperature last night was 104 and this morning 102. His condition generally is still very serious."

Capt. Roark, who first played on the British international cup team in 1927 and who was captain of the 1930 quartet, was playing with the Midwick outfit, although he and his younger brother Aidan have been mentioned as possible members of the English team in the big cup matches in the East in June.

In the fall during the fourth chukker, Roark's pony stumbled and fell on the player.

Associated Press WIREPHOTO.

CAPT. C. T. I. (PAT) ROARK

Fair Grounds Racing Round-up

Entries

By the Associated Press.

FIRST RACE—Five and one-half furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

6	*Walter L	102	2
7	Farquhar	95	3
8	Flying Watch	109	4
9	Dadio Charm	102	5
1	*Nim	104	
2	*Wacky Jack	102	
3	Sir Rhapsody	98	
4	Galden, Kozzet	110	
5	*Purple Wreck	102	

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; for 3-year-olds.

10	*Fleet Arrow	103	1
11	Fleet Pat	108	2
12	*Reichmouse	103	3
13	*Minnie Pot	103	4
1	Lister	103	5
2	*Tuz	108	6
3	Mollie V	107	7
4	Little Reed	113	8
5	Quick Quick	112	9
	Jean Dale	107	
	Unrequited	108	
	*Molly Green	103	
	Tolson	113	
	*Carlede	103	
	*Homopolis	103	
	Miss Day	108	
	*Broadaxe	103	
	Toney Bird	113	

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

10	*Lashybo	109	1
11	Kissy D	109	2
12	Tah Me	109	3
1	Jerry B	114	4
14	Pavilion	116	5
15	*Snorky	111	6
16	*Lady Velvet	106	7
17	Tucheone	109	8
18	Lonquille	112	9
	*Miss Ivory	106	
	*Bilkan	106	
	Prince Mac	114	
	Kerrville	114	
	Houstonian	106	
	*Wilful	109	
	*Queen Irene	106	
	*Benefiolary	104	
	*King Star	109	

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds

6	*Skippy McGee	110	2
7	*Miss Webb	105	3
8	*Tom's Lady	105	4
9	*Glowset	105	5
1	*Goldman	113	
	*Cottingham	106	
	Royal Broom	113	
	Calming	109	
	*Valdina	110	

FIFTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $1,500; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

6	Grand Day	108	1
7	Amanda Bay	105	2
8	Bess B	103	3
9	Labor Day	103	4
10	Court au Pot	112	5
11	Jo Jo	108	6
	*Night Gail	107	
	Laro Keys	110	
	*Gold Satin	101	
	Sapsinaus	108	
	*Unparalled	101	

SIXTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $1,500; the Mardi Gras Handicap; for 3-year-olds and upward.

6	Kin Diamond	103	1
7	Cash Boy	100	2
8	Rich Cream	113	3
9	Zevson	114	4
10	Chance Sweet	101	5
11	Whipsmith	103	6
	Weekly Stipend	103	
	Patomar	108	
	Waxwing	106	
	The Thursh	103	
	Grimoco	107	

SEVENTH RACE—One mile and 70 yards; purse, $800; allowances; for 3-year-old maidens and winners of one race.

6	Cynical	103	1
7	Mountain Top	112	2
8	James	112	3
9	Castle K	108	4
10	Alma	108	5
	Vergara Santo	113	
	Doodad	108	
	Vergara J	108	
	Sunabell	108	
	Tankholm	113	

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-half miles; purse, $700; claiming; for 4-year-olds

8	Inscomilla	104	1
9	Justa Flight	104	2
8	*Arctic Star	104	3
9	*Skipsea	99	4
10	Crack Boy	103	5
11	Vintard	99	6
	Opoca	97	
	*Tapatiet	104	
	Panfil	104	
	*Wanderobo	104	
	Hinman	109	

NINTH RACE (substitute)—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

10	Kuvera	113	1
11	My Quick	113	2
12	*General Boy	108	3
13	*Pret Play	106	4
14	*Triple Play	108	5
15	Mission Time	113	6
16	*Erech	106	7
17	Lauri	106	8
18	*Rickory Lad	108	9
	Flaming Play	111	
	Catsweep	113	
	Lugano	108	
	*Nozalo	103	
	Cossack Girl	108	
	Impeach	108	
	Goldtip	101	
	Col. Martin	106	
	Dear Me	106	

TENTH RACE (substitute)—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $800; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

8	Elsabe	108	1
10	Miney	107	2
11	Stout Heart	107	3
12	Nervous Lady	107	4
13	Big Time	115	5
14	Joe Jay	107	6
15	*Miss Sis	100	7
16	Black Scout	113	8
	*Keen Flight	107	
	*Richland Lane	107	
	*Miss Adams	105	
	Pirate Lass	110	
	*Wash Scout	105	
	*Creole Beauty	102	
	Lucky Child	112	
	*Sorcery	107	

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

Weather, clear; track, fast.

Results

FIRST—Five and one-half furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward; maidens and winners of one race.

Red Chief, 108 (Short) 11.20 4.70 3.60
Hard Lucky, 115 (McCabee) 4.40 3.00
Green Mist, 110 (Orse) 2.80

*Dick Greenock, Rebel Flag, Curt Palmer, *Maymise, Red Root, *Joy Sweep, Royal Tuscan, Cute Thing, Dance Time also ran. Time, 1:08 1-5.

*Field.

SECOND—Six furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

Leeran, 111 (Orse) 5.40 3.40 2.80
Dark Roamer, 112 (Dyer) 19.00 10.00
Basta, 102 (Johnson) 15.40

Copper Kith, *Love Last, *Louise G., Mary Sedate, Stingy, *Concerto, Sun Henry, Genesee and Helmor also ran. Time, 1:14 4-5.

*Field.

THIRD—Six furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

Eternal Wave, 112 (Haber) 5.80 3.40 2.80
Robert S., 107 (Pate) 21.20 11.20
Leros, 112 (Grever) 5.40

Tiger John, Spanlee, Regardless, *Westko, *The Nile, *Sarah Justice, Little Marcelle, Longwell, Mokena also ran. Time, 1:14 2-5.

*Field.

FOURTH—One-fourth mile; purse, $600; for maiden 2-year-olds.

Jay D. Seen, 114 (Orse) 5.20 4.20 3.40
*Louisiana Dick, 114 (Stuller) 4.40 3.40
Little Davey, 114 (Keiser) 7.00

Odds Bodkin, Skating Mad, Axelson, Simmer, Wilchfin, *Bleb Volt and Moody also ran. Time, 0:23.

†A. T. Delcambre and E. A. Martin entry.

FIFTH—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

Sound Wave, 108 (Pate) 19.80 8.80 4.80
Miss Dumaine, 104 (Dow) 8.20 4.40
Idolatry, 111 (Orse) 2.60

Garden Message, Dr. McLarney, Jim Cornell and Bobbraz also ran. Time, 1:48 4-5.

SIXTH—Six furlongs; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

Gaster, 111 (G. Smith) 6.20 3.40 2.60
Lisa Ru, 114 (G. Smith) 5.40 2.80
Run Milton, 116 (C. Fields) 3.80

Enfin, Golden Silence, Magnolia Cash and Brides Defiant also ran. Time, 1:13.

SEVENTH—Mile and 70 yards; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

Fay Creek, 106 (J. Rosen) 7.40 4.40 3.20
Chiseta, 101 (Conley) 7.40 4.80
*Velistar, 101 (Pate) 9.60

Opoca, Awawine, Kings Highway, Palm Island, Hereward, Dark Mist, *Waka, *Eddie Wrack and Rockrim also ran. Time, 1:46 2-5. *Field.

EIGHTH—Mile and 70 yards; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

Ebony Parasol, 106 (C'lin) 14.40 6.40 4.80
Spyerest, 110 (Rodriguez) 9.60 6.00
Maseo, 113 (McCabee) 7.80

*Sir Carl Kathryn, Alda Chester, *Nameoki, Fast Summer, Gold Color, Brilliant Miss and Spartan Lady also ran. Time, 1:46 2-5. *Field.

FAIR GROUNDS SELECTIONS

1—Black Rhapsody, Nim, Pirouten.
2—Unrequited, Fleet Arrow, Carlede.
3—Jackknife, Talma, Paulson.
4—Polychetus, Valdina, Goldman.
5—Crout Au Pot, Laro Keys, Jadva.
6—Rough Diamond, Catamar, Zevson.
7—Cynical, Sunabell, James.
8—Arctic Star, Crack Boy, Inscomira.
9—Mr. Quick, Kuvera, Nozalo.
10—Nervous Lady, Miney, Stout Heart.

Best bet—Black Rhapsody.

—Louisville Times (A).

Havana

Entries

By the Associated Press.

FIRST RACE—Five and one-half furlongs; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

8	*Royal Lassie	108	2
9	*Vitonina	101	3
10	Hard Rock	116	4
11	Tip Arms	113	5
12	*King Faro	108	6
13	Twinkle Qu'n	109	7
1	*Br'n Supinet	101	
	Meeting Place	114	
	*Gallie	109	
	*Little V	106	
	Orac	111	
	Alfred C. M	114	
	El Lugareno	112	

SECOND RACE—Five and one-half furlongs; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

6	Bold Pl'dema	108	2
9	Zulu Lad	118	3
10	Tyrannel	114	4
11	Zevstar	109	5
12	Edward D	114	6
13	*W'ne Woman	104	7
1	*Cherry Point	108	
	*Toltec	109	
	*Hector	113	
	Blood	114	
	*Animosity	113	
	Barashkova	114	

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $600; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

10	*Fred

Home Building Most Active In Ten Years

FHA Administrator Says Loans Have Risen Each Week This Year

By Thomas M. Cahill.

Forecasts that the present year should be the most active for home building in a decade are finding corroboration in figures compiled on the Federal Housing Administration's home loan insurance operation, Stewart McDonald, administrator of that Federal agency, reveals. He announces that applications for small home mortgage insurance have increased each week since the year-end holidays, rising from $13,400,000 in the first week of the year to $21,700,000 in the week ended February 11.

This volume of mortgages selected for appraisal in the year's sixth week compared favorably with the high levels reached in the most active weeks last spring and summer when applications were averaging between $22,000,000 and $23,000,000. The figure was 145 per cent above the corresponding week a year ago.

"Even more remarkable than this sharp rise in winter months is the fact that a steadily increasing proportion of applications represent new homes to be constructed under FHA inspection," Mr. McDonald reminds, adding that about 63 per cent of the mortgages in the last weekly figure were homes to be constructed, whereas the average a year ago was only about 30 per cent.

He further explained that between 1,500 and 1,750 new homes have been started each week this year on the basis of mortgage insurance commitments previously issued, this being a remarkable total for the winter season and seeming to indicate unusual later activity.

Building Barometer

"Our figures on mortgages selected for appraisal have consistently proved to be an early barometer of home building activity," he said, "and various checks, throughout the entire period of the FHA's operations, have borne out these trends with significant regularity. A year ago our figures were also rising, although they started from a low base. The national housing act was amended and liberalized on February 3, 1938, and the effect of these amendments began to appear late that month. By the middle of March the weekly total of mortgage insurance applications had crossed the $20,000,000 mark, and it remained there consistently until the last part of the year.

Recalling that several significant milestones have been passed, the administrator states, "we have now insured more than $750,000,000 of property improvement loans under Title I. Small home mortgages selected for appraisal under Title II have now totaled more than $2,500,000,000. Small home mortgages accepted for insurance have crossed the $1,750,000,000 mark.

"Mortgages accepted for insurance also are running well in excess of 100 per cent above last year," he cites, "explaining that these figures do not include a large amount of new construction now being undertaken by builders to whom the Housing Administration has issued conditional commitments. These insurance commitments will become effective as satisfactory purchasers are found to finance these homes under the FHA plan.

"Altogether our figures indicate that 1939 is getting off to a flying start in contrast to the poor outset for 1938; but last year, in spite of the slow beginning, proved after all to be the best year for home construction since 1930." he concludes.

Deyber Sets a Record

Victor B. Deyber, chairman of the board of Second National Bank, recently inaugurated his sixteenth year as secretary of the Washington Clearing House Association, an exceptionally long record. Mr. Deyber was president of Second National Bank for many years prior to his election as chairman of the board and is a former president of the District of Columbia Bankers Association. He is a member of Washington Board of Trade and several other organizations.

Since serving as head of the local bankers' association he has continued as chairman or member of important committees. His associates in the clearing house include H. H. McKee, president of National Capital Bank; Frank J. Stryker, president, Columbia National Bank;

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Local Securities

SALES
After Call
Cap. Traction 1st 5s—$1,000 at 84¼.
BONDS
Public Utility

	Bid.	Asked.
Anacostia & Pot 5s	80	82
Ana & Pot Guar 5s	110	.....
Cap Traction R R 5s	82	86
City & Suburban 5s	82	88
Georgetown Gas 1st 5s	120	.....
Pot Elec Pow 3½s	107½	.....
Washington Gas 5s, 1960	125	128
Wash Rwy & Elec 4s	107½	.....
Miscellaneous		
Chevy Chase Club 1st 4½s	104	.....
Col Country Clubs 1st 4½s	103	.....
Ter Ref & Wh Corp 1st 4½s	103	.....
STOCKS		
Public Utility		
Amer Tel & Tel (9)	157½	.....
Capital Transit Co	8¾	9½
N & W Steamboat (4)	55	80
Pot Elec Pow 6% pfd (6)	*113¼	.....
Pot El Pw 5½% pfd (5.50)	*113	.....
Wash Gas Lt new (1.50)	28½	30½
Wash Gas pfd (4.50)	105	106
Wash Ry & El com (3Sg)	*650	.....
Wash Ry & El pfd (5)	*110	112
National Bank		
Capital (4)	143	160
Liberty (6)	175	.....
Lincoln (8f)	200	.....
Riggs (8e)	270	280
Riggs pfd (5)	101	104
Washington (6)	122	.....
Trust Company		
Amer Sec & Tr Co (8e)	255	270
Nat'l Sav & Tr	190	210
Prince Georges Bk & Trc(.60)	20	25
Wash Loan & Tr (8e)	225	240
Savings Bank		
Bank of Bethesda (75)	27	.....
Com & Savings (10f)	265	.....
Fire Insurance		
American (6f)	120	.....
Firemen's (1.20)	28	.....
National Union (.75)	16	.....
Title Insurance		
Columbia (30c)	12	.....
Real Estate (6m)	160	.....
Miscellaneous		
Carpel Corp (2.00†)	26	.....
Lanston Monotype (4)	*52	60
Lincoln Serv com (1.00)	†19	24
Lincoln Serv Prior pf (3.50)		51
Mergenthaler Lino (.50p)	20¼	22
People Drug S com (1.00†)	34	28
Peoples Drug S pfd (6.50)	113	.....
Real Est M & G pfd (.45)	4¾	5½
Security Storage (5)	105	115
Ter Ref & Wh Corp (3)	62	68
Wdwd & Loth com (2.00s)	49	55
Wdwd & Lothrop pfd (7)	120	.....

*Ex dividend.
(b) Books closed.
†Plus extras.
(e) 2% extra.
(f) 3% extra.
(g) $14.00 extra paid December 20, 1938.
(k) 20c extra.
(m) $1.50 extra.
(p) 50c paid September 20, 1938.
(s) 42.00 paid in, 1938.

The Day's Movements In Leading Markets

Stocks		
Advances	77	328
Declines	553	107
Unchanged	111	143
Total Issues	741	578

Foreign situation held responsible for lower prices; volume, 692,840.
Rail issues lead general decline; transfers, $5,593,450.
Curb
Generally lower; turnover, 151,000.
Commodities
Wheat, cotton and sugar higher, coffee lower.
Exchange
Steady; Great Britain, $4.68¾; France, $2.64⅛ cents.

Maritime Board Transfers 2 Ships To War Dept.

The Maritime Commission announced yesterday that it was transferring title and custody of the liners Pan America and Western World to the War Department to strengthen the Army transport service. The commission said that the two ships were expected eventually to displace the Chateau Thierry and St. Mihiel.

The Pan America and Western World and two others, American Legion and Southern Cross, were acquired by the commission recently through foreclosure proceedings from the Munson Line which had operated them between New York and South America. The commission is retaining the latter two vessels.

DuPont Declares $1.25 on Common

Wilmington, Del., Feb. 20 (AP).—E. I. du Pont de Nemours directors today declared an interim dividend for the first quarter of the year of $1.25 a share on common stock, payable March 14 to stockholders of record February 27.

Last year the company paid 50 cents a common share in March and June, 75 cents in September and $1.50 in December.

Card Tax Would Run First U. S. Government

New York, Feb. 20.—At the level of collections for recent years, the tax on playing cards would have supported the Federal Government in the first few years of Washington's Administration. This interesting sidelight on Federal finances was brought out in the course of the latest monthly analysis of Federal expenditures made today by the economic research division of the Industrial Conference Board.

Collections on account of the tax on playing cards averaged 4.5 million in the ten-year period ended June 30, 1938. Expenditures averaged 4.6 million for the three years ended in 1793. In the peak year, 1929, the playing-card tax produced a revenue of 5.4 million, but for 1938 the total was only a little more than 4 million.

Wheat Prices Ease After Brisk Rise

Increase in Subsidy On Export Flour Helps Advance

By the Associated Press.

Chicago, Feb. 20.—The wheat market's most vigorous action today was concentrated in the first half hour of trading when prices rose as much as ¾ cent, with buying based largely on reports of better milling demand and a cold wave over part of the grain belt.

Thereafter prices fluctuated rather nervously, losing about half of the early advance at times. The close was within ⅛ cent of the day's high point, however. An increase of 10 cents a barrel in the export flour subsidy on shipments from Atlantic and Gulf ports was announced just before the close.

Wheat finished ¼ to ⅝ higher than Saturday; May, 68⅝@68¾; July, 68¾@68⅞. Corn was ⅜ to ¾ higher; May, 49¾; July, 51; oats, unchanged to ¼ lower; rye, ⅛ to ½ up; lard, 13 to 15 higher.

Futures Price Ranges

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat				
March	68⅝	68⅝	68⅛	68⅛
May	68⅛	68⅞	68⅛	68¾
July	64¼	[illegible]	63⅝	63⅞
September	60⅝	60¾	60⅛	60¾
Corn—				
March	47¾	47¾	47¾	47¾
May	49⅛	49¾	49⅛	49¾
July	51⅛	51	50⅝	51
September	51¼	51⅝	51⅛	51½
Oats—				
May	29⅜	29¾	29	29¼
July	27⅛	28	27⅝	27⅞
September	27¾	27⅞	27¾	27½
Soy Beans—				
May	82¼	83¾	82⅛	82¾
July	82½	82½	82¼	82½
October	76	76	76	76
Rye—				
May	45¾	46	45½	45¾
July	46⅝	46¾	46⅜	46⅝
September	47⅝	47⅞	47⅜	47⅝
Lard—				
March	6.90	6.90	6.85	6.90
May	6.90	6.92	6.85	6.90
July	7.00	7.10	7.00	7.10
September	7.15	7.25	7.15	7.25

Cash Grain Prices

WHEAT—No. 3 red, 73¼.
CORN—No. 3 mixed, 48@48½; No. 47@49½; No. 2 yellow, 49¼@49½; No. 3, 48@49; No. 3 white, 50¾; sample grade white, 44@48.
OATS—No. 4 mixed, 28; No. 2 white, 32½@32¾; No. 3, 30@32½; sample grade white, 27¾@29.
SOY BEANS—No. 2 yellow, 83¾; No. 3, 82½.
TIMOTHY SEED—2.85@3.15, nominal: Red Clover seed, 13.00@16.00, nominal; red top, 9.25@9.75, nominal.

Cotton Spinning At 85.7% of Capacity

The Census Bureau reported yesterday that the cotton spinning industry operated during January at 85.7 per cent of capacity, on an 80-hour week, two-shift basis, compared with 83.6 per cent during December last and 63.5 per cent during January last year.

Spinning spindles in place January 31 totaled 25,910,352, of which 22,440,278 were active at some time during the month, compared with 26,048,734 and 22,449,280 for December last and 26,610,596 and 22,327,444 for January last year.

Tires Advanced 2½% By U. S. Rubber Co.

New York, Feb. 20 (AP).—United States Rubber Co. will advance tire prices or an average of 2½ per cent, effective February 23, or roughly the same advances as were made by Firestone Tire & Rubber last week, the company announced today.

The Market

By C. Norman Stabler,
A Special Correspondent.

Stock Prices Yield to New War Alarms; President's Attiutde, Spain and Italy, Contribute to Market Uneasiness

New York, Feb. 20.—Stocks which ended last week with a firmer appearance relapsed again today with a recurrence of war jitters in Wall Street and throughout the country. Pivotal issues in steel, store, motor and manufacturing divisions gave up 1 to 3 points, the market once more showing lack of resistance to selling however mild.

Bonds did somewhat better than shares although speculatives in some cases were off quite a bit. Local traction liens which have enjoyed a strong market for some time reacted moderately. Wheat made a strong start but quieted down and finished with gains ranging from ⅛ to ⅜ cent. Cotton closed 3 up to 2 points off. Foreign exchanges, the guilder in particular, were lower in terms of the dollar. Swiss francs were an exception, gaining slightly.

President Roosevelt's intimation that he regarded the foreign situation as so serious that he was considering quitting the fleet and returning to Washington; failure of progress in settlement of the Spanish war, and mass troop movements by Italy, brought disquiet to the financial district. The more conservative brokerage houses, meanwhile, advised clients to continue their waiting attitude until the international picture is clarified. Domestic news also failed to provide encouragement for the buying side.

Anti-Trust Suits

Publicity given to the Government's anti-trust suits against 18 tire manufacturers, led to losses in the rubber group. Steels lost most ground of any as the output rate of the industry showed a 2.2 per cent decline from a week ago. A rise had been predicted. Even the aircrafts dropped although no change was apparent in the rosy outlook in this field. Du Pont directors declared an interim dividend of $1.25 a share which was better than expected and compared with 50 cents a year ago, but the stock showed a net loss of 3¼ points. The increased payment, of course, reflected passing along the larger distribution received from General Motors.

Unlike other dull days in February, the active list of stocks was unusually representative of the financial blue book. Steel common, leader in turnover, was off 2¼ points. Bethlehem lost 2⅝ and Republic 1¼. Chrysler broke 3 points and General Motors 2. Western Electric and Norfolk & Western each dropped 3 and mark-downs of two or more points included such issues as General Electric, Goodyear, Johns Manville, Sears Roebuck and Union Carbide. The composite price of the 100 key stocks closed 0.86 point lower, the 70 industrials losing 0.96 and the 30 rails 0.63. Volume was 692,840 shares.

Stocks selling at new lows for the year or longer included American Can, Reynolds Tobacco B and U. S. Gypsum. Keith-Albee-Orpheum preferred dropped 7 points on a few sales to a new low at 88. Foster Wheeler preferred, on the other hand, sold 6 points higher.

Prime U. S. Bonds Firm

With the exception of high grade investment securities, listed bonds slipped lower today, in line with the performance of speculative issues generally. Local traction bonds receded a point or so, after the long rise that was prompted last week by reports of unification progress. Secondary rail liens were only fractionally lower in most instances. In the foreign section a good deal of uncertainty was evident. Turnover in all bonds was a mere $5,550,000 par value, which remains far under normal.

Best rated investment media were maintained at Previous levels, save for a few minor exceptions. United States Treasury securities varied 1-32 point in either direction, with activity modest pending the March financing. Guaranteed issues of the farm and home corporations were easy. Telephone bonds were marked slightly lower in the corporate list of high-grade investments, but power and light, industrial and rail bonds held their ground.

Traction Bonds Yield

The relapse in Interborough and B. M. T. bonds caused no surprise, after the protracted advance of last week. Declines in speculative railroad bonds were largely fractional, and apparently contingent upon the pessimism that affected equities. Some of the borderline rails lost a point or more. Alleghany Corporation bonds failed to reflect current disputes among managers of rails in that system. Other special groups were dull.

Italian and Japanese bonds were marked sharply lower in the foreign section, owing to the apparent worry in administration circles regarding foreign affairs. The British Empire issues of Australian and Canadian origin slipped fractionally, while Scandinavian bonds were irregular. Belgians improved despite the concern about world affairs. Argentine issues reflected the difficulties that country is having with trade. Among the default bonds Greek issues were in demand, while others drifted idly.

15 Most Active Stocks

Special Dispatch to The Post.

New York, Feb. 20.—The 15 most active Stock Exchange issues today were:

U. S. Steel	15,700	59	—2¼
Martin, G. L.	15,200	36½	—1¼
Gen. Motors	15,000	47⅛	—2
North Am Aviation	13,800	18	—1¼
Chrysler	11,600	74¾	—3¼
Amer. Stores	11,200	12	+1⅛
Comi. Solvents	9,700	12⅛	— ⅜
Sperry Corp.	9,400	45¾	—2⅛
Bendix Aviat.	9,000	26⅞	—1⅜
Curtiss-Wright	8,000	6⅝	— ⅛
Beth. Steel	7,700	68½	— 2¾
United Aircraft	7,700	40¼	—1⅛
U. S. Rubber	7,600	44	—2⅝
Republic Steel	7,100	20¼	—1¼
Gen Electric	7,000	39¼	—2

Volume, 15 stocks, 155,700 shares.
Ratio to total volume, 22.4 per cent.

Steel Operations Dip to 53.7%

New York, Feb. 20 (AP).—Operations in the steel industry for the current week will decline 1.1 points to 53.7 per cent of capacity, compared with 54.8 per cent last week, the American Iron & Steel Institute estimated today.

A month ago operations were at the rate of 51.2 per cent of capacity and a year ago 30.4 per cent.

Failures Fewer

New York, Feb. 20 (AP).—A drop in business failures the week ended February 16, to the lowest level thus far in the year was attributed largely to the Lincoln's Birthday holiday, Dun & Bradstreet reported today. The latest total of 224, compared with 261 in the preceding week, and 282 in the comparable 1937 week.

Naval Stores Firm

Savannah, Feb. 20 (AP).—Turpentine, firm, 25¾; sales, 47; receipts, 7; shipments, 208; stock, 43,542. Rosin, firm; sales, 79; receipts, 97; shipments, 100; stock, 301,510. Quote: B, 3.50; D, 3.75; E, 4.00; F, 4.25; G, 5.00; H, I, 5.10; K, 5.15; M, 5.20; N, 5.30; WG, 6.00; WW, X, 6.65.

Baltimore Securities

Baltimore, Feb. 20 (AP).—Following are the sales, high, low and closing prices of stocks and bonds traded today on the Baltimore Stock Exchange:

Sales		High	Low	Close
200	Arundel Corp.	22¼	22	22
33	Cons Gas El Lt.	76	76	76
10	Fid & Dep.	123	123	123
150	Houston Oil pf.	18	18	18
200	New Amster Cas.	13½	13⅜	13⅜
450	US Fidel & Guar.	21⅜	21¼	21¼
Bonds				
1000	Balt Transit 4.	21½	21½	21½
1200	Balt Transit 5 A.	25	25	25

Total stock sales February 20, 1,064; total bond sales February 20, $2,200.

U. S. Exchanges To Close for Holiday

New York, Feb. 20 (AP).—Observance of the birth of George Washington 207 years ago will close leading security and commodity exchanges on Wednesday, February 22. Chiefly affected will be the New York Stock Exchange and Curb Exchange, Chicago Board of Trade and New York Cotton Exchange.

Canadian and continental markets will operate as usual.

Harvester Net Slumps in Past Fiscal Year

$18,472,000 for Year Ended Oct. 31 Against $32,493,000

Chicago, Feb. 20.—Net income of the International Harvester Co. for the fiscal year ended October 31, 1938 was $18,472,000, it was announced today in the annual report made public by Sydney G. McAllister, president. This compared with net income in 1937 of $32,493,000.

Profits in 1938 were lower than in 1937, both in amount and in proportion to sales, as a result of the reduction in sales volume and the consequent effect in increased unit costs of manufacture and distribution. The decline in sales volume, President McAllister stated, reflected the decrease of total national cash farm income which took place in 1938, when large crop production was accompanied by sharp declines in farm commodity prices.

The 1938 net income was equivalent to $3.00 per share of common stock, after provision for preferred dividends, as compared with $6.31 per share in 1937.

1938 dividends on preferred stock were paid at the regular rate of $1.75 per share quarterly. Dividends paid on common stock were: 62½ cents per share on April 15, 50 cents per share on July 15, and 40 cents per share on October 15, 1938, and January 16, 1939, totaling $1.92½.

Lima Locomotive

New York, Feb. 20 (AP).—Lima Locomotive Works, Inc., reported today for 1938 net loss of $637,035, compared with net operating profit of $1,019,982, or $4.83 a capital share, in 1937. The 1937 results were exclusive of $1,379,446 net profit realized from the sale of the company's reacquired capital stock. The firm's main plant is at Lima, Ohio.

R. Hoe & Co.

R. Hoe & Co. and its subsidiary, manufacturers of printing presses, reported for the fiscal year ended September 30 net loss of $869,971, compared with net income in the preceding year of $328,594, equal to $2.88 a share on the Class "A" stock.

Bellanca Aircraft

Bellanca Aircraft Corp. and subsidiaries, manufacturers of planes for military, commercial and private uses, reported net income for 1938 of $172,645, equal to 99 cents a share of common stock, compared with $120,265, or 69 cents a share, in 1937. Company has planes and flying field at New Castle, Del.

Cotton Higher; Range Narrow

New York, Feb. 20 (AP).—Near positions recorded small gains in today's cotton market on trade covering in March and moderately active price fixing in May. Despite a semblance of activity at times prices remained deeply grooved, with the swings as narrow as they had been in the last few months of desultory trading. Final levels were 3 points up to 1 lower.

A considerable part of the ring business represented evening up of March contracts. Spot house buying of March and May took care of offerings by New Orleans brokers and some foreign selling. In the distant positions bids and offerings were approximately in balance.

Futures Price Range

	Open	High	Low	Close	Ch.
March	8.45	8.48	8.44	8.48	+.03
May	8.09	8.10	8.07	8.10	+.02
July	7.81	7.83	7.79	7.83	+.02
October	7.39	7.40	7.38	7.40	+.01
December	7.37	7.38	7.35	7.35	—.01
January	7.40	7.40	7.38	7.38	+.01

Cottonseed Oil

Cottonseed oil futures played over a broad field today in brisk trading. Changes were all on the plus side, however, and closing prices were 5 to 9 points net higher. Short covering early ran into profit taking and local selling, which in turn attracted further short covering.

Sales totaled 369 lots. March closed *6.86, May 7.07, July *7.16, September *7.26, October *7.27.

Scattered sales of crude oil were made in the Southeast and Valley at 5¾ cents. Texas was quoted at 5¾@5¾.
*Bid.

Retail Advertising 1.6% Under Year Ago

Chicago, Feb. 20.—Volume of display advertising placed in newspapers of 79 major cities by retailers during the week ended February 11 was 1.6 per cent below the figure for the corresponding week of 1938, Advertising Age reported today.

A total of 17,077,160 lines of retail display advertising appeared in the newspapers of these cities during the week, compared with 17,360,433 lines during the corresponding week of 1938.

Big Judgment Upheld Against Dawes Bank

Chicago, Feb. 20 (AP).—The U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals affirmed today a $14,500,000 judgment in favor of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation against 3,500 stockholders of the defunct Central Republic Bank and Trust Co., the old "Dawes Bank."

The decision written by Presiding Judge Evan A. Evans and concurred in by judges Will M. Sparks and Walter Treanor upheld a ruling by District Judge James H. Wilkerson in November, 1936. The judgment represented a 100 per cent assessment on stockholders to make up a deficiency in repayment of a $90,000,000 RFC loan to the institution once headed by former Vice President Charles G. Dawes.

LAIDLAW & CO.
28 Broadway—New York
Established 1842
Washington Office
727 15th St. N.W.
Telephone DI. 2255
Other Offices
Montreal, Providence, R. I., Boston, Mass., Oil City, Pa., Toronto, Rutland, Vt.
252 Park Avenue, New York
Members
New York Stock Exchange
New York Curb Exchange
Boston Stock Exchange
Chicago Board of Trade
Facilities reach leading security and commodity markets

LOANS
ON IMPROVED D. C. PROPERTY
Immediate attention on your application for buying, rebuilding or refinancing.
Loans repayable monthly.
No charge for appraisal if loan is not made.
Interest charged only on unpaid balance of principal.
EQUITABLE CO-OPERATIVE BUILDING ASSOCIATION
915 F STREET N. W.
Organized 1879

The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company
Baltimore, Maryland

February 20, 1939

To Holders of
Refunding and General Mortgage Bonds, Series D and F, of The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company:

Pursuant to the Plan for Modification of Interest Charges and Maturities, dated August 15, 1938, there will be paid on March 1, 1939, 1/5 of the interest payable on that date on Refunding and General Mortgage Bonds, Series D and Series F, being the fixed interest payable under the Plan. This amounts to ½ of 1% of the principal of the Bonds or $5.00 per $1,000 Bond.

Contingent interest on these Bonds for the period from September 1, 1938 to December 31, 1938 is payable under the Plan on May 1, 1939, if and to the extent that the earnings for that period were sufficient for the purpose. The contingent interest accrued on the Bonds for such period was 1½% of the principal of the Bonds, and the earnings for the period were sufficient to provide for such interest. This amounts to $13.33 per $1,000 Bond.

For the convenience of the bondholders and to save expense the Company proposes to make payment of this amount on March 1 instead of May 1, so that the total amount of fixed and contingent interest payable on March 1 will be 1 5/6% of the principal amount of the bonds, or $18.33 per $1,000 Bond.

In order to receive this payment, holders should present coupons of March 1, 1939, in the usual way (preferably through their local banks). Coupons should be accompanied by the usual ownership certificates and by a letter of transmittal duly filled out and signed. Coupons will be stamped to show the amount paid thereon and returned to the bondholders, and should be reattached to the appropriate bonds.

Security holders who have not received copies of the Plan or who desire additional information, will please address the Company or

Telephone: District 3300

The following Banks are acting as Custodian Depositaries:
National Savings and Trust Company
National Metropolitan Bank
Riggs National Bank, Union Trust Company
Washington Loan & Trust Company

THE BALTIMORE AND OHIO RAILROAD COMPANY
by J. J. JENKINS, Treasurer

Transactions on N. Y. Bond Market

By the Associated Press.

Total bond sales yesterday, $5,593,450; previous day, $3,753,500; week ago, closed; year ago, $4,538,525; two years ago, closed; January 1 to date, $242,390,475; year ago, $263,985,875; two years ago, $371,001,000.

Range of United States Government Issues

(Sales in $1,000. Dollars and 32ds.)

1939 High	1939 Low	Feb. 20 Sales.		High	Low.	Last.	Change.	Bid	Ask.	Yield
105.8	104.29	3	Treasury 3⅜s, 1943-40 June	105	105	105	+.1	104.30	105	.....
107.12	107.1	2	Treasury 3½s, 1941	107.1	107.1	107.1	—.2	107.1	107.3	.32
110.9	109.30	1	Treasury 3⅜s, 1947-43	110.3	110.3	110.3	—.1	110.2	110.4	.96
110.8	109.22	5	Treasury 3½s, 1945-43	110.1	110.1	110.1	.....	110	110.2	1.02
107.26	107	~1	Treasury 2¾s, 1947-45	107.23	107.23	107.23	—.2	107.23	107.25	1.49
106.27	106.6	7	Treasury 2½s, 1945	106.25	106.25	106.25	+.1	106.25	106.27	1.44
110.4	109.11	1	Treasury 3½s, 1949-46	110	110	110	.....	109.31	110.1	1.65
102.21	102	37	Treasury 2s, 1947	102.21	102.20	102.20	—.1	102.19	102.20	1.67
105.21	105.1	4	Treasury 2½s, 1948	105.21	105.21	105.21	+.1	105.19	105.21	1.85
103.7	102.13	1	Treasury 2½s, 1953-49	103.3	103.3	103.3	—.1	103.3	103.5	2.17
103.11	102.16	29	Treasury 2½s, 1952-50	103.7	103.5	103.5	—.1	103.7	103.8	2.18
107.29	107.4	25	Treasury 3s, 1955-51	107.28	107.27	107.27	—.1	107.26	107.28	2.21
105.9	104.12	4	Treasury 2½s, 1960-55	105.7	105.4	105.4	—.1	105.3	105.5	2.48
103.16	102.20	16	Treasury 2½s, 1965-60	103.13	103.13	103.13	+.1	103.12	103.13	2.54
103.16	102.20	27	Treasury 2¼s, 1963-58	103.14	103.10	103.10	—.5	103.11	103.13	2.52
107.15	106.26	1	Federal Farm Mtg 3s, 1949-44	107.11	107.11	107.11	—.4	107.11	107.13	1.52
102.20	102	1	Home Own Ln 2½s, 1949-39	102.14	102.14	102.14	—.1	102.15	102.17	.....
104.18	104.1	2	Home Own Ln 2¼s, 1944-42	104.18	104.18	104.18	.....	104.16	104.18	.87

CORPORATION BONDS.

Sales in thousands.		High	Low	Close
A				
15	Allegheny cv 5 '44	75¼	75¼	75¼
7	Allegheny cv 5 '49	65¼	65¼	65¼
18	Allis Chalm cv 4 '52	110	110	110
6	Am & For P 5 2030	55	54¾	54¾
6	AmIGOhem cv5½ '49	101¾	101¼	101½
31	Am T&T 5½ '43	112	111¾	112
11	Am T&T 2¼ '66	107⅛	107⅛	107⅛
12	Arm Del 4 '55	98¼	98⅛	98¼
22	A T & S F 4 '95	109	108⅛	108¾
11	AT&SF cv 4½ '48	100½	99¾	99¾
7	A C Line 1st 4 '32	85¾	85¾	85¾
B				
20	B & O rfg 6 '95	21¾	20½	20½
6	B & O 5 '96 F	21¼	21	21
23	B & O cv 4½ '60	13	1	12⅝
11	B & O 4 '48	52⅛	51½	51½
6	Bell T Pa 5 '48 B	117¾	117¼	117¼
63	Beth Stl 3½ '52	100¾	100¼	100¼
2	Boston & Me 3 '67	30½	29¾	29¾
14	Buf R&P 4½ '57	28¾	28	28
C				
1	Can Nat Ry 4½ '56	115½	115½	115½
2	Can Pac 4½ '60	94	94	94
2	Can Pac 4 perp	80½	80½	80½
1	Cen Ill E&G 5 '51	103¾	103¾	103¾
3	Cen Pac 5 '50	55½	55½	55½
1	Cen Pac 1st 4 '49	73	73	73
7	C & O 3½ '96 D	98¼	98¾	98¾
16	C&O rfg 3½ '98 E	98½	98	98½
10	†Chi & E Ill 5 '51	17½	17	17
13	†Chic Gt West 4 '59	20¼	20	20
34	†CMSP&Pac 5 '75	9¼	9	9
15	†CMSP&P adj 5 2000	2½	2½	2½
7	†Chi&NW cv 4¾ '49	4¾	4¼	4¼
1	Ch & W Ind 4 '52	90½	90½	90½
15	CCC&StL 4½ '77	58	55¾	55¾
3	Clev Un T 4½ '77C	73	72½	73
1	Col & So 4½ '80	42	42	42
28	ColmbiaG 5 '52 May	101½	100¾	100¾
11	Colmbia G 5 1961	101¼	101	101
23	Coml Cred 2¾ '42	105	102¾	103
19	Comwith Ed 4 '81	108¼	108	108
7	Con Edis 3¼ '46	105½	105½	105½
11	Con Oil cv 3½ '51	103¾	103¾	103¾
200	Consum P 3½ '70	109¾	109¾	109¾
1	Cuba No Ry 5½ '42	33¾	33½	33½
D				
17	Del & Hud rfg 4 '43	58¼	58	58¼
14	†D&RG 4 '36	11¾	11½	11½
10	Duquesne Lt 3½ '65	113	111¾	111¾
E				
4	Elec Auto L cv 4 '52	107½	107	107
10	†Erie rfg 5 '67	11¼	10¾	10¾
31	†Erie rfg 5 '75	11¾	11¼	11¼
1	†Erie gen ln 4 '96	21¾	21½	21¼
2	†Fla E Cst 5 '74	7¾	7¼	7¾
G				
1	Gen Mot Ac 3 '48	104	104	104
4	Gen Stl C 5½ '49	63	62½	62½
23	Goodrich 4¼ '56	100¼	100	100¼
14	Gt Nor 4 '48 G	97⅛	97⅛	97⅛
2	Gt Nor 3 '48 H	84½	84½	84½
9	Gt Nor 3 '61 A	34	33¾	34
6	Hud & M rfg 5 '57	48½	47½	47½
14	†Hud & M Inc 5 '57	14½	13¾	14
I				
1	Ill Bell T 3½ '70 B	111½	111½	111½
33	Ill Cen 4¾ '66	50¾	50	50
15	IC&CSL&NO 5 '63A	55	54½	54¾
3	Ill Steel 4½ '40	104¾	104¾	104¾
9	†Interb R T 7 '32	65½	65	65½
46	Inter R T rfg 5 '66	68¾	68	68
6	Int Paper 5 '47	99	97¾	97¾
4	Int T & T 4½ '39	67	66¼	67
16	†Int T & T 5 '55	69¾	69¼	69½
K				
19	K C South 5 '50	66	65	65

Dow-Jones Bonds

By the United Press.

New York, Feb. 20.

40 bonds	90.27	—0.21
10 first rails	93.93	—0.37
10 second rails	51.93	—0.48
10 utilities	107.78	—0.09
10 industrials	107.22	—0.14

Sales in thousands.		High	Low	Close
32	K C Term 4 '60	108¾	108¾	108¾
12	Koppers Co 4 '51	101½	100¾	100¾
4	Kresge Found 4 '45	104	104	104
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Insurance Co. Stake in Farms Tops 1.6 Billion

895 Million Invested In Mortgages, 705 Million in Realty

Insurance companies have a direct stake of more than $1,600,000,000 in farm values in the United States, aside from the interest these companies share with other business institutions in the contribution of agriculture to general business prosperity.

Howard R. Tolley, chief of the bureau of agricultural economics, cited these figures yesterday in an address to the Chartered Life Underwriters, in the course of which he said that the less direct stake of the companies in programs for agricultural welfare is also of major importance.

Not only do these programs bolster the insurance companies' immediate investment, but they also have added heavily to farm purchasing power. In turn, this has been a contributing factor in urban business improvement and widened the companies' field for sale of policies, Mr. Tolley said. He cited the most recent index of about 124 for demand deposits in country banks and rural retail sales, as compared with an index of about 49 for each in 1933 when these "action" programs for farmers had their beginning.

FCA Refinancing

Included in the $1,600,000,000 investment of the companies are $895,470,000 of farm mortgages and $705,207,000 of farm real estate, Mr. Tolley said. A direct contribution of the Government to maintaining this stake was the refinancing of $305,818,000 of insurance company-held farm mortgages by the Farm Credit Administration in 1933-37, he added.

From 1923 through 1932 holdings of such mortgages by insurance companies remained above $2,000,000,000, but with the advent of the FCA and other new Federal farm agencies, they have fallen annually since.

Farm real estate held by insurance companies, Mr. Tolley also said, amounted to but $88,305,000 in 1929, had jumped to $316,931,000 in 1933, and later to $713,166,000. The decline to $705,207,000 last year was the first decrease in the 10-year period.

Local Produce

By the U. S. Bureau of Agricultural Economics

(Prices paid shippers—net f.o.b. Washington.)

EGGS—Government graded and dated eggs (February 20): Whites, U. S. extras, large, 22; U. S. extras, mediums, 17; U. S. standards, large, 18; U. S. standards, mediums, 16; U. S. trades, 15. Nearby ungraded eggs: Current receipts, whites, 17@17½; mixed colors, 16@16½.

LIVE POULTRY—Fowl: Colored, all sizes, 16@17; No. 2s, 12@13; Leghorns, 12@13; roosters, 10@12. Chickens: Virginia Rocks, broilers and fryers, all sizes, 16@17; No. 2s, 12@13; Delaware, Rocks and Crosses, broilers and fryers, all sizes, 16@17; No. 2s, 12@13; mixed colored fryers, 14@15. Capons, 7 pounds and up, 23@26. Guineas, 2 pounds and over, 60 to 70 cents a pair.

Fruits and Vegetables

APPLES—Bushel baskets, U. S. No. 1, Maryland, Pennsylvania, Virginia and West Virginia—Staymans, 2¼-inch minimum, 1.00@1.10 2½-inch minimum, 1.25@1.40; 2¾-inch minimum, 1.50@1.60; Delicious, 2¼-inch minimum, 1.15@1.25; 2½-inch minimum, 1.35@1.50; Golden Delicious, 2¼-inch minimum, 1.00; 2½-inch minimum, 1.25@1.35; 2¾-inch minimum, 1.40@1.60; Yorks, 2¼-inch minimum, 70@75; 2½-inch minimum, 1.00@1.10; 2¾-inch minimum, 1.20@1.25; Winesaps, 2¼-inch minimum, 1.10@1.15; 2½-inch minimum, 1.35@1.40; Black Twigs, 2¼-inch minimum, 1.10@1.15; 2¾-inch minimum, 1.25@1.35; 3-inch minimum, 1.35@1.40; Rome Beautys, 2¼-inch minimum, 75@85; 2½-inch minimum, 1.15@1.25; 2¾-inch minimum, mostly around, 1.35; U. S. Utility, as to size, Staymans, 75@1.25; Delicious, 90@1.35; Yorks, 65@1.00; Winesaps, 90@1.25; Black Twigs, 85@1.00; Romes, 75@1.25; Golden Delicious, wasty, all sizes, 75@1.00. Boxes and cartons, Pennsylvania and Virginia—Paragons, Fancy, 113s-150s, 1.35@1.50; 64s-100s, 1.50@1.75; C Grade, 1.25@1.50, as to size; Staymans, fancy, 113s-150s, 1.50@1.65; 80s-100s, 1.65@1.75; C Grade, 1.35@1.40; Golden Delicious, fancy, 113s-163s, 1.35@1.65; 88s-100s, 1.85@2.00; Delicious, fancy, 113s-163s, 1.50@1.75; 80s-100s, 1.90@2.10; C Grade, 1.35@1.40; Winesaps, combination extra fancy and fancy, 163s-216s, 1.50@1.60; 113s-150s, 1.65@1.85; 100s and larger, 2.00@2.10.

BROCCOLI—California, crates, 2.25@2.50 fair quality 2.00.

BRUSSELS SPROUTS—California, 25-pound drums.

CABBAGE—Florida, 1½-bushel hampers, domestic round type, truck receipts, packed locally, 75; New York, 50-pound sacks, Danish type, 30@35.

CARROTS—California, Western crates, bunched, 2.50@2.75. Texas, half Western crates, 1.25@1.50.

CAULIFLOWER—California, crates, 1.90.

LETTUCE—California, Western crates, Iceberg type, 5 dozen, 3.00@3.25, mostly 3.00@3.10.

ONIONS—50-pound sacks, U. S. No. 1, yellows, New York, 80@1.00; Michigan and Ohio, 1.10@1.15; Sweet Spanish, 3 inches and larger, Colorado, 1.25@1.35.

KALE AND COLLARDS—Virginia, bushel baskets, some yellow, 25@40.

SPINACH—Bushel baskets, Savoy type, Texas, 75@85; Virginia, 60.

SWEET POTATOES — North Carolina, bushel baskets, Puerto Ricans, U. S. No. 1, 1.10@1.15, fair quality 75@1.00; Nancy Halls, U. S. No. 1, 1.00@1.10. Virginia, bushel baskets, Nancy Halls, U. S. No. 1, 1.00@1.10.

TOMATOES—Florida, lug boxes, green, ripes and turning, wrapped, 6x6, 1.25@1.50; 6x7, 1.00; 7x7, 50@75; 10-pound baskets, 65@75. Cuba, 10-pound baskets, repacked, 75@80.

SNAP BEANS—Florida, bushel hampers, green, flat type, 1.25@1.50, fair condition 75; Round Stringless, 2.25@2.50, fair condition, 1.75@2.00.

LIMA BEANS—Florida, bushel hampers, 2.25@2.50; heated, yellow, 1.25@1.50.

SQUASH—Florida, bushel hampers, white, wrapped, 2.00@2.50; yellow, 2.50@3.50.

PEPPERS—Florida, 1½-bushel crates, green, medium size, 2.50@2.75; fair condition, 2.00.

EGGPLANT—Florida, 1½-bushel crates, 2.25@2.75.

CUCUMBERS—Indiana, hothouse stock, 1.35@1.50 per dozen.

STRAWBERRIES—Florida, 36-pint crates, 12@14 per pint.

POTATOES—100-pound sacks, U. S. No. 1, Pennsylvania, Round Whites, 1.60@1.65; Maine, Green Mountains, 1.75@1.85; Chippewas, 1.80@1.85. Idaho, Russet Burbanks, 2.00@2.10; Florida, bushel crates, Bliss Triumphs, U. S. No. 1, 1.75@1.85.

BEETS—Texas, half crates, 1.00@1.25.

MUSHROOMS—Maryland and Pennsylvania, 3-pound baskets, 40@60.

AVOCADOS—Flat crates, Florida, 75@1.25; California, 1.50@1.90.

HONEY—Virginia, cartons, comb, 2-dozen, 3.00@3.50.

ORANGES—Florida, boxes, 1.50@2.00, as to grade and size.

GRAPEFRUIT—Florida, boxes, 1.50@2.00, as to grade and size.

TANGERINES—Florida, 4-5 bushel boxes, 1.00@1.25.

LEMONS—California, standard boxes, No. 1, 4.00@5.00; No. 2, 3.00@3.50, as to size.

RHUBARB—Michigan, 5-pound cartons, 30@60.

LIMES—Florida, ¼-bushel boxes, 1.00@1.50.

PARSLEY—Florida, half crates, 1.25@1.50.

PARSNIPS — Pennsylvania, half-bushel baskets, 25@40.

TURNIPS—Georgia, crates, bunched, 1.25; Pennsylvania, half-bushel baskets, topped, 25@30.

PINEAPPLES—Cuba, crates, 3.50@4.00.

BUTTER—90 score, 1-pound prints, 27½; tub, 26; ¼-pound prints, 28; 92 score, 1-pound prints, 29; ¼-pound prints, 30.

MEATS—Choice beef, 19; good beef, 17½; calves, 20; lambs, 20; veal, 20; pork loins, 20; smoked regular ham, 24; smoked skinned ham, 22; large smoked, skinned ham, 23; bacon, sliced, 28; bacon, piece, 23; compound, 10; pure lard, 9.

LIVESTOCK—Pigs, 120-140 pounds, 6.65@6.85; light pigs, 140-160 pounds, 6.65@7.40; 160-200 pounds, 7.00@7.50; 210-240 pounds, 6.40@7.50; 250-300 pounds, 5.90@6.35; calves, good grade, 9.25@11.50; light calves, 6.00@8.00; lambs, 10.50; sows, 4.40@5.00; stags, 4.10 down.

Complete Transactions Yesterday on New York Stock Exchange

By the Associated Press.

Total stock sales yesterday, 892,840 shares; previous day, 940,110; week ago, closed; year ago, 758,871; two years ago, closed; January 1 to date, 34,584,708; year ago, 34,899,703; two years ago, 98,960,316.

1939 High	1939 Low	Name and Dividend Rate	Sales—Add 00	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge
		A					
58½	55	Abbott Lab (1.60a)	2	58¼	57¾	57¾	— ½
45	38½	Acme Stl (1) XD	1	38½	38½	38½	— ½
11	8⅝	Adams Exp (.20e)	8	9½	9	9	— ⅛
62¾	54¼	Air Reduction (1a)	10	58¼	57	57¼	— 2
1⅛	¾	Air-Way El Appal				⅞	—
68	68	Ala & Vicks (6)	10	68	68	68	
10	9¾	Alaska Juneau (1)	7	9½	9½	9½	—
1¼	⅞	Alleghany Corp	10	⅞	⅞	⅞	—
12¾	8½	Alleghany pf xw	1	9	9	9	—
14⅞	10	Alleghany pf $30 ww	5	10¼	10¼	10¼	—
13¼	9	Alleghany pf $40 ww	1	9½	9½	9½	—
28¼	20	Allegheny-Lud Stl	16	22⅜	21¾	21¾	—
11½	8¼	Allen Industries	1	9	9	9	—
193	170½	Al Chem & Dye (6)	2	173	171½	171½	—
11⅜	8¾	Allied Strs	14	9⅜	9¼	9¼	—
66½	61	Allied St pf (5)	3	66½	66	66½	+
48⅜	39½	Allis-Ch Mfg (1½)	10	42¾	41¾	42	—
19⅞	15½	Alpha P Cem (1⅛g)	3	18½	17½	17½	—
2⅜	1⅞	Amal Leather	2	2	2	2	—
66½	61	Amerada Corp (2)	2	61	61	61	—
17⅜	13⅜	Am Bank Note (.20g)	7	15	14½	14½	—
54½	42½	Am Brake Shoe (1)	1	43⅝	43⅝	43⅝	—
131½	129	†Am Br Shoe pf(4½)	60	130	129½	130	+
106⅝	89½	Am Can (4)	5	90⅝	89½	89½	—
35	24¼	Am Car & Fdy	6	28	27⅝	27⅝	—
55	41	Am Car & F pf (2½e)	1	44⅜	44	44	—
24½	19	Am Ch & Cable (.70e)	9	20¾	20½	20¾	—
7⅝	6⅛	Am Colortype	1	7	7	7	—
11⅛	9	Am Coml Alco	9	9⅛	9	9	—
10½	8½	Am Crystal Sug	2	9¼	9¼	9¼	—
66	61	†Am Crystal 5% pf(6)	50	64	64	64	—
5⅜	3¾	Am Encaus Tiling	3	4¼	4¼	4¼	—
3⅝	2⅞	Am & For Pow	8	3	2⅞	2⅞	—
9¾	7½	Am & F P 2 pf	4	7¾	7½	7¾	—
15	13¼	Am-Hawaii S S (1)	1	13¼	13¼	13¼	—
5¼	4⅛	Am Hide & Leather	7	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝	—
34¼	30	Am Hi & L pf (1k)	2	31⅜	31½	31½	—
1⅞	1⅜	Am Ice	1	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	—
7¾	6	Am International	1	6¾	6¾	6¾	—
30¾	21½	Am Locomotive	7	24⅛	24⅜	24⅜	—
25⅜	13	Am M & Fdy (.80)	3	14	14	14	—
4½	3⅜	Am M & Met	2	3⅝	3½	3½	—
26	23	†Am News Co (¼g)	60	24¾	24¾	24¾	—
7	5⅞	Am Pow & Lt	25	6¼	6¼	6¼	—
48⅛	38	Am P & L 1st pf (5k)	10	46	44	44	—
43½	32⅜	Am P & L $5 pf (5k)	7	40	39	39	—
18¾	14	Am Rad & St S	19	15¾	15⅛	15⅛	—
22⅞	16⅛	Am Roll Mill	17	18¾	17½	17½	—
72½	62½	Am Roll Mill pf	3	73½	69½	72½	—
15¾	13¼	Am Safety Razor (1.60)	4	14⅞	14⅜	14⅞	+
20	15⅛	Am Seating (½g)	3	17	16	16	—
33¾	29	†Am Ship Bldg (2)	40	30⅝	30½	30½	—
53⅜	41⅞	Am Smelt & R (½g)	20	44½	44¼	44¼	—
41	29¼	Am Stl Fdrs	7	33⅜	32½	32½	—
113⅛	84	Am Stores	112	104⅝	102	102	—
91⅞	84	Am Sugar pf (7)	1	86	86	86	—
158½	149½	Am Tel & Tel (9)	13	157¾	156⅝	157¼	—
87½	80½	Am Tobacco (5)	3	83	82⅝	82⅝	—
89⅜	83¾	Am Tob B (5)	6	86¼	85½	85½	—
8⅜	8⅜	Am Type Fdrs	1	8⅜	8⅜	8⅜	—
14⅜	11⅝	Am Wat Wks	31	13¼	12⅝	12⅝	—
7¾	5⅝	Am Zinc L & S	13	6¼	6	6	—
36⅛	26	Anaconda (⅝g)	28	28⅜	28	28	—
54½	45	Anacon W & C	1	46	46	46	—
20¼	17	Anchor Hock Gl (.45e)	4	17¾	17½	17½	—
103½	101	Armour Del pf (7)	5	101¾	101	101	—
8⅜	5	Arm Ill	18	5¾	5	5	—
52	44	Arm Ill pr pf	1	47	47	47	—
58	45½	Armstrong Cork (1⅛g)	3	48¼	48⅛	48⅛	—
11⅜	9⅝	Arnold Const (½g)	9	11⅜	11⅜	11⅜	—
10⅜	8	Artloom Corp	1	8¾	8¾	8¾	—
11⅝	7¾	Assd Dry Goods	1	9	9	9	—
42⅞	31⅛	Atch T & S F	15	33	33½	33½	—
69⅛	59¼	Atch T & S F pf	2	63	63	63	—
30½	20	Atl Coast Line	4	22½	22	22	—
15	11	Atl G & W I n pf	1	12⅞	12⅞	12⅞	—
23⅛	20⅝	Atl Refining (1) XD	18	21½	20⅞	21	—
8⅝	7⅜	Atlas Corp (½g)	6	8	8	8	—
45⅞	44	Atlas Corp pf (3)	2	45½	45½	45½	—
4¼	3⅜	Auburn Auto	1	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝	+
8½	6¾	Aviation Corp (.18½g)	34	7¼	7¼	7¼	—
		B					
17⅜	12⅜	Bald Loco ct	31	14	13¼	13¼	—
8	5½	Bali & Ohio	13	6¼	6	6	—
10⅜	6⅝	Balt & Ohio pf	5	7⅞	7⅜	7⅜	—
30½	20½	Bangor & Ar (2½)	5	25⅛	25	25⅛	+
21½	15⅜	Barber Asph	1	17¾	17¼	17¼	—
31	30¼	†Barker pf (2¾)	10	31	31	31	—
19½	15	Barnsdall Oil (1)	5	18⅜	17⅞	17⅞	—
21¼	18	Bayuk Cigar (¾a)	15	20¾	19⅞	20¼	—
19⅜	17½	Beatrice Cream (1a)	1	19⅜	19⅜	19⅜	—
8¼	7½	Belding-Hem (.70)	1	8	8	8	—
29¾	22¾	Bendix Aviat	90	27⅞	26½	26⅞	—
20¼	18⅞	Benef Ind Ln (1.65e)	1	20	20	20	—
80	60¼	Beth Steel	70	80¼	68⅝	68⅝	—
18	16½	Beth Steel 5% pf (1)	2	17⅜	17⅜	17⅜	+
118	106¼	Beth Steel 7% pf (7)	2	114	114	114	—
22½	17½	Black & Decker (½g)	1	19⅜	19⅜	19⅜	+
17¾	13	Blaw-Knox	1	13¾	13¾	13¾	—
31¾	24¼	Boeing Airplane	62	29¾	29¼	29¾	+
28½	22¼	Bofin Al & Brass (½e)	1	23⅜	23⅜	23⅜	—
110	104	†Bon Ami A (4a)	10	110	110	110	—
55	51	†Bon Ami B (2½a)	80	54⅞	54½	54½	—
14¼	12½	Bond Strs (.60e)	2	13¾	13¾	13¾	—
32	16½	Borden Co (1.30e)	7	17⅜	17⅛	17⅛	—
32	24½	Borg-Warner (¾e)	10	25¼	24½	24⅝	—
7⅜	6	Brewing Corp Am (.30e)	7	7½	7¼	7½	—
15⅞	11½	Bridgeport Brass	8	13⅜	13⅛	13⅛	—
31⅝	22½	Briggs Mfg (1e)	16	25	24½	24½	—
2	1¾	Bklyn & Qu Trans	2	2	2	2	—
9¾	8½	Bklyn & Q Trans pf	1	9	9	9	—
13	10⅞	Bklyn-Man Tr	16	12⅜	12¼	12¼	—
42	37½	Bklyn-M Tr pf	8	41	40	43	—
19¾	15⅞	Bklyn Un Gas	3	17½	17½	17½	—
13¾	11	Buerys-Erie	6	11½	10⅞	10⅞	—
8	6	Budd Mfg	19	6⅝	6½	6½	—
55½	42½	†Budd Mfg pf	70	48	46⅝	46⅝	—
5¾	4¼	Budd Wheel	1	4¾	4¾	4¾	—
30	23½	Bullard Co	2	26½	25½	25½	—
32¾	24¾	Bulova Watch (2)	2	28½	28½	28½	—
14¾	12¾	Burling Mills (1)	2	13	13	13	—
18¾	15⅞	Burr Add Mach (.10g)	6	17	16⅞	17	—
2¾	1¾	Bush Terminal	5	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	—
22⅜	19½	Butler Bros pf (1½)	3	22	22	22	—
11	9⅜	Butler Cop & Zinc	11	3¼	3¼	3¼	—
13¼	9	Byers (A M) Co	1	10	10	10	—
17⅞	14½	Byron Jackson (½g)	1	14½	14½	14½	—
		C					
18	15⅜	Calif Packing	5	17	16⅝	16⅝	—
2⅝	⅝	Callahan Z-Lead	47	1⅛	1	1	—
4⅞	3⅛	Calumet & Hec (¼e)	4	6⅛	6⅛	6⅛	—
20¾	17	Can Dry G Ale (¼e)	10	18¼	17½	17½	—
6¼	4¾	Canad Pacific	10	5	4¾	4¾	—
3⅜	3⅛	Carriers & Gen (.05g)	4	3⅜	3⅛	3⅜	—
94⅞	82	Case (J I) pf (7)	3	85	84	84	—
122	116	†Case (J I) pf (7)	120	121	120	121	
47½	42	Caterpil Tractor (2)	9	46¾	46½	46⅞	—
24⅜	17⅜	Celanese Corp	27	20⅜	20½	20⅜	—
91	80	Celanese pr pf (7)	1	89	89	89	—
19⅛	14¼	Celotex Corp	5	17	16	16	—
22½	20½	Cent Aguirre (1½)	3	20½	20½	20½	—
5¼	3¾	Cent Foundry	3	4	3⅞	3⅞	—
9½	7	Cent R R & I	1	7	7	7	—
52⅞	39½	Cerro de Pas (1g)	1	42	42	42	—
13	9¾	Certain-teed Prod	5	10¼	10⅛	10⅛	—
47½	37½	†Cert-teed 6% pf	50	41	41	41	—
30	23½	Champ Pap & F	3	27⅜	27	27	—
31	25	Ches & Ohio (½g)	20	35	34⅞	34⅞	—
88½	86	Ches & Oh pf (4)	1	88	88	88	—
1	¾	Chi & N W	5	¾	¾	¾	—
12	11	Chi Mail Or (¼g)	1	11	11	11	—
1	¾	Chi M St P & P pf	1	⅞	⅞	⅞	+
20¼	15	Chi Pneu Tool	12	17	16¾	16¾	—
37½	34½	Chi Pneu T cv pf (3)	1	35¾	35¾	35¾	—
14¾	12½	Chickasaha Cot Oil (¾e)	1	12½	12½	12½	—
13½	9⅜	Childs Co	3	11	10½	10½	—
33	29	†Chile Cop (½g)	40	29	29	29	—
84	66⅛	Chrysler Corp (1g)	116	76½	74¼	74⅝	—
82	79	†City I & F pf (6½)	20	80	80	80	—
4¼	3½	City Stores	7	3¾	3¾	3¾	—
28½	24	Clev Graph Br (1e)	4	28½	27¾	27¾	—
60¼	50	Climax Molyb (1.20a)	4	51	50⅜	51	—
29¾	23¼	Cluett Peabody (.85e)	42	29¾	28¼	28½	—
15⅞	11⅝	Colgate-Palm-P (½)	47	15⅝	15⅜	15⅜	—
104	102⅞	Colgate-Palm-P pf (6)	2	103	102⅝	102⅝	—
26¼	25	Collins & Aik (¼g)	15	26¼	25¼	25¼	—
106	103¾	†Collins & Aik pf (5)	20	103¾	103¾	103¾	—
7	5	†Col & South	70	5¼	5¼	5¼	+
9⅝	6½	†Col & South 1 pf	10	6½	6½	6½	—
6	6⅝	Colum G & E	46	8	7¾	7¾	—
88¾	74½	Colum G & E pf A (6)	1	86	85½	85½	—
15⅝	11	Colum Pict vtc (2½g f)	5	12⅝	12	12	—
93	83	Colum Carbon (4)	1	85	85	85	—
57	46	Comi Credit (4)	3	53⅞	53	53	—
60	49½	Comi Invest Tr (4)	6	55⅞	54½	54½	—
13¾	10⅝	Comi Solvents	97	12⅞	12¼	12½	—
2½	1½	Comwlth & South	17	1¾	1¾	1¾	—
63⅛	45¾	Com & South pf (4½k)	10	61	60	60	—
28	26¾	Comwith Edis (1.60)	25	28	27¾	27⅞	—
8¾	7¾	Conde Nast	2	8½	8½	8½	—
30⅝	24¾	Consolcum-Nairn (½g)	3	27½	27	27	—
23¾	21	Consol Aircr (.75e)	1	21	21	21	—
86	82¾	†Con Cig pr pf (6½)	40	84¾	84½	84½	—
34⅜	29¼	Cons Edison (2)	57	33	32½	32½	—
103⅛	101¾	Cons Edison pf (5)	7	103⅞	103¾	103⅞	—
11⅜	9	Consol Film Ind pf (¼k)	4	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	—
6⅜	5⅜	Cons Laundries	1	6	6	6	—
9½	8	Consol Oil (.80)	14	8½	8⅜	8½	—
3	2¾	Consol'n Coal	1	2¾	2¾	2¾	—
16⅛	12⅜	Container Corp	2	13	13	13	—
20¾	16	Cont Bak A	7	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛	—
2	1½	Cont Bak B	4	1¾	1¾	1¾	—
98	89	Cont Bak pf (8)	1	97½	97½	97½	—
44	38	Cont Can (½g)	8	39¼	38⅝	38⅝	—
10⅝	7⅞	Cont Diam Fib	3	7¾	7¾	7¾	—
35	32	Cont Ins (1.60a)	3	35	34⅝	35	—
4	2¾	Cont Motors	21	3¼	3	3	—
31½	26¼	Cont Oil Del (¼g)	3	26⅝	26⅝	26⅞	—
29¼	21	Cont Steel (1e)	1	26½	26½	26½	—
66¾	61¼	Corn Products (3)	2	64⅞	64	64	—
6	3⅞	Coty Inc	40	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛	—
38	28⅞	Crane Co	5	30⅜	30½	30½	—
110	99¼	Crane Co cv pf (5)	1	101	101	101	—
29	26⅜	Cream of Wh (2)	1	28¼	28¼	28¼	+
41½	31	Crown Cork B	8	33½	32½	32½	—
14⅜	12⅞	Crown Zellerbach	1	13¾	13⅜	13⅜	—
91	85¾	†Crown Zeller pf (5)	20	86	86	86	—
47¾	34½	Crucible Steel	6	40⅜	39¾	39¾	—
4⅞	3¾	Cuban-Am Sugar	1	3⅞	3⅞	3⅞	—
16	13¼	Cudahy Pack	1	14¼	14¼	14¼	—
6¼	5⅞	Curtis Publishg	1	6⅛	6⅛	6⅛	—
48	40	Curtis Pub pf (½k)	4	40¼	40¼	40¼	—
7½	5½	Curtiss-Wright	80	7	6⅝	6⅝	—
28¼	21¾	Curtiss-Wr A (1e)	24	27⅜	26⅝	26½	—
24½	18½	Cutler-Hammer	2	21¼	21	21	—
		D					
6⅜	5⅛	Davega Stores	1	5⅜	5⅛	5⅛	+
8⅞	6¾	Davison Chem	2	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛	—
111	110	†Dayton P&L pf (4½)	10	110½	110½	110½	+
20⅞	17	Deere & Co (1.35e)	24	19¾	19⅜	19⅜	—
15⅝	12⅜	Deisel-Wem-Gil (1⅛e)	1	13⅞	13½	13½	—
25⅛	18¼	Del & Hudson	10	19½	19	19½	—
8¼	6	Del Lack & West	1	8¼	8¼	8¼	—
1½	¾	Den & Rio G W pf	1	1	1	1	—
121	113½	Detroit Edison (2a)	3	121	120½	121	+
32½	28½	Diamond Match (1½)	1	32½	32½	32½	—
9¾	7	Diam T Motor	3	7½	7½	7½	—
20	15⅝	Distil Corp-Seag (2)	7	18⅝	18½	18½	—
22½	15½	Doehler Die Cas	3	17	16⅜	16⅜	—
33½	30¼	Dome Mines (2)	6	31½	30⅝	30⅝	—
78⅝	62⅞	Douglas Aircraft (3e)	44	74⅝	72	72⅝	—
136	114¼	Dow Chem (3)	2	116	116	116	+
119¼	111½	Dunhill, Int	6	113½	112½	112½	—
156⅝	142	du Pont de N (1¼g)	13	148½	146⅝	146⅝	—
121	117¼	du Pont pf (4½)	1	119½	119½	119½	+
		E					
16½	13	Eastern Air L	28	15⅝	14⅞	15	—
8	5⅝	Eastern Roll Mill	1	6	6	6	—
186½	171	Eastman Kodak (6)	4	174½	172	172	—
183½	175½	†East Kodak pf (6)	30	180	180	180	—
25½	20¼	Eaton Mfg (¾g)	7	24¼	23¼	23¼	—
3⅜	2¼	Eitingon Schild	1	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	—
2⅝	2	El & Mus Ind (.09e)	9	2½	2½	2½	—
34½	26½	Elec Auto Lite (½g)	11	32	31½	31½	—
15⅜	11½	Elec Boat (.60e)	9	13¼	12⅜	13	—
12⅜	9¾	El Power & Lt	22	10⅞	10½	10⅝	—
41½	34½	El Pow & Lt pf	7	37¾	36¾	36¾	—
1¼	⅞	Elk Horn Coal	2	1¼	1¼	1¼	+
31¾	28	El Paso Nat Gas (2)	2	30¾	30¼	30¼	—
10⅞	8⅝	Erie Pub Service	20	9⅞	9⅝	9⅝	—
1⅝	1⅜	Equit Off Bldg	10	1½	1½	1½	—
2¾	1½	Erie R R	1	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	—
5¼	4	Eureka V Cleaner	4	5¼	5	5	—
13	9½	Evans Products	3	10	9¾	9¾	—
24½	18⅛	Ex-Cell-O (.40e)	8	23	21½	21½	—

Dow-Jones Averages

By the United Press.

New York, Feb. 20.

Stocks—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Net ch.
30 industrials	144.35	144.54	142.48	142.74	—2.17
20 rails	30.06	30.08	29.52	29.58	—1.00
15 utilities	25.16	25.20	24.67	24.73	—0.70
65 stocks	48.59	48.

New York Curb Stocks

By the Associated Press.

Total stock sales yesterday, shares; year ago, 130,585 shares. 131,000

Sales in hundreds.	High	Low	Close
1 †Aer Sup Mf B (¼e)	5¼	5	5
3 †Asfa-Assco (½e)	27½	27	27½
2 Ainsworth (¼e)	7	6¾	7
3 †Air Assoc (.47½e)	7⅞	7⅝	7⅞
7 †Air Investors	2	1½	2
.70 Ala Pw 87 pf (7)	89½	89	89
1.30 Ala Pw 36 pf (6)	83½	82½	83½
2 Alum Co Am	115¾	115	115¾
5 Alum Ltd	131	130	131
3 †Am Airlines	23¼	22	23
1 †Am Box Board	8	8	8
.50 Am Cap pr pf (5½)	70	70	70
2 Am Dentrifugal	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
.10 Am Cyan A (.80)	24¾	24¾	24¾
11 Am Cyan B	24½	24¼	24¼
22 Am Gas&El (1.40)	37⅝	37	37⅛
.25 Am G&E pf (6)	113½	113⅛	113⅛
2 †Am Gen	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛
1.50 †Am Gen 53 pf (2)	27	26¾	27
1 Am Lt & T (.30g)	16	16	16
1 †Am Maracaibo	1	1	1
15 †Am Republics	8⅛	8⅛	8⅛
2 †Am Seal-Kp (.30e)	5½	5½	5½
11 Am Superpow	1	1	1
1 Am Superpow pf	22⅝	22⅝	22⅝
1 †Ang-Wupp (¼e)	3¼	3¼	3¼
.10 Appal El P pf (7)	110¾	110¾	110¾
3 †Arctur Rad Tube	⅛	⅛	⅛
8 Ark Nat Gas A	3	2⅞	3
1 Ark Nat Gas pf(.80e)	8¼	8¼	8¼
5 †Ash Oil & R (.40)	5	5	5
13 †Asso G & El A	1	¾	¾
5 As G & El war	1-32	1-32	1-32
1 Atl Coa Fish	3	3	3
2 †Atlas Corp war	⅝	⅝	⅝
5 Atlas Ply	22	21½	21½
12 †Austin Silver M	¼	¼	¼
1 †Avery & S war	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
19 †Avia & Tran	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛
B			
1 Babcock & Wil	26⅝	26⅝	26⅝
1 †Bal Lo pf (2.10)	20½	20½	20½
7 †Bald Lo war	7⅛	6¾	6¾
8 †Barium Sta Sti	1¼	1¼	1¼
2.50 †Barl&Seet A (1.20)	9¼	9	9
6 †Bath Iron Wks	7⅛	7	7
36 †Beech Aire	8⅝	7⅝	8⅝
13 †Bell Aire	33	31	31
39 Bell Aire Rt	2⅛	1⅞	2
6 Bellanca Aire(.40e)	9¼	8⅞	9⅛
1 Benn&Fle pf (2½e)	35	35	35
3 †Berk&Gay F war	⅛	⅛	⅛
2 †Bickford (.40g)	13⅛	13⅛	13⅛
2 †Bliss (E W)	13¼	13	13
1 †Blue Ridge	1½	1½	1½
1 †BlueRid cv pf (3h)	38⅛	38⅛	38⅛
3 Bowm-Bilt H	2⅝	2	2
.50 Bowm-Bilt H 1 pf	21½	21½	21½
1 Bowm-Bilt H 2 pf	5	5	5
2 Bras Tr L & P	8½	8¼	8¼
21 †Breese Corp (.40e)	11	10⅛	10⅝
8 Brew Asso (.10g)	11¼	11	11
1 †Bridgpt Mach	5½	5½	5½
1 Brill pf	25	25	25
9 †Brillo Mfg (.80)	10	9⅜	9¾
1 Br-A Tr Br (.34g)	22¾	22¾	22¾
.80 Brown Co pf	17½	17½	17½
2 †Brown-P Dist	2½	2¼	2¼
3 †Brown Rubber	4¾	4¾	4¾
1 Buf N & E P 1 pf(5)	106¼	106¼	106¼
3 Bunk Hill & S	13¾	13⅝	13⅝
C			
1 Can Marconi	1	1	1
2 Carnation (1a)	26¼	26	26
1 Caro P & L $7 pf(7)	90½	90	90½
2 Carrier Corp	17	16¾	16¾
2 †Catalin Am	4	4	4
1 Celluloid	4½	4⅛	4⅛
1 Cen & S W Ut	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜
.10 †Cen N Y P pf (5)	93½	93½	93½
2 †Cen Ohio Sti(.30g)	8¾	8¾	8¾
1 Cen St El	⅜	⅜	⅜
2 †Centrif Pipe (.40)	4	4	4
2 Chi Pneu Shs (.40a)	74	74	74
.80 Childs pf	53½	53	53
20 Cities Service	8⅛	7⅞	7⅞
4 Cities Svc pf	46	45	45
7.50 Cit Svc P & L $7 pf	72⅛	72⅛	72⅛
1 Claude Neon Lts	1	1	1
1 Clayton & Lam	2¾	2¾	2¾
1 Cleve El Illum (2a)	37	37	37
3 †Cleve Tract	5½	5	5
3 Club Al Uten	3	3	3
1 †Colo Fuel & I war	7	7	7
1 †Colon Fin Arms (2)	89¾	89¾	89¾
.25 Colum G & E pf (5)	65	65	65
2 Colum O&G (.15e)	3¾	3¾	3¾
8 Comwith & So war	⅛	3-32	3-32
.50 Com Pw & Lt 1 pf	33	33	33
21 Cons Copper (¼e)	7¼	6¾	6¾
1 †Cons Dis&E B(3.60)	76¼	76¼	76¼
2 †Cons Gas Ut	11	11	11
1 Cons Ret Strs	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞
1 Cons Sti Corp	5½	5½	5½
3 Cont Roll & Sti	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞
1 †Cook Pt & V (.60)	8¾	8¾	8¾
4 †Cooper-Bess	7	6¾	6¾
2 †Coaden Petro	1	1	1
3 Creole Pet (.e)	22¾	22½	22½
2 Crocker-Wh El M	6⅝	6⅜	6⅜
2 †Croft Brewing	⅛	⅛	⅛
3 †Crown Drug	1⅜	1⅛	1⅜
.50 †Cuneo Press (1½g)	49	49	49
D			
2 Darby Pet (⅛g)	6½	6½	6½
1 †Dayton Rub (½e)	15¼	15¼	15¼
1 Decca Rec (.60e)	6	6	6
4 †Delay Strs (.20g)	3	3	3
.20 Dennison 1 pf	24½	24½	24½
1 †Derby Oil	13¾	13¾	13¾
1 †Det Paper Prod	1¾	1¾	1¾
1 †Det Sti Prod (½e)	25½	25¼	25¼
.30 Draper Corp (1¾g)	16¼	16¼	16¼
1 †Driver-Har (.60g)	1¾	1¾	1¾
1 †Dubilier Cond(.10e)	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
6 †Duro-T (4%f) XD	4¾	4¾	4¾
E			
7 East Gas & F	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
1.50 East G&F 6 pf	10½	10½	10½
.50 East G&F pr pf	20¼	20¼	20¼
.50 Eisler(¼e)	16½	16½	16½
91 El Bond & Sh	11¼	10¾	10¾
1 El Bd & Sh pf (6)	69	69	69
1 El Pow As (.10e)	3	3	3
3 El Pow As A (.10e)	3	3	3
.50 El P & L 2 pf A	26	26	26
12 †Elect Shara	2¾	2¼	2¼
.50 Emp G&F 7% pf	57	57	57
21 †Breese Corp (.40e)	11	10⅛	10⅝
8 Brew Asso (.10g)	11¼	11	11
1 †Bridgpt Mach	5½	5½	5½
1 Brill pf	25	25	25
9 †Brillo Mfg (.80)	10	9⅜	9¾
1 Br-A Tr Br (.34g)	22¾	22¾	22¾
.80 Brown Co pf	17½	17½	17½
2 †Brown-P Dist	2½	2¼	2¼
3 †Brown Rubber	4¾	4¾	4¾
1 Buf N & E P 1 pf(5)	106¼	106¼	106¼
3 Bunk Hill & S	13¾	13⅝	13⅝
C			
1 Can Marconi	1	1	1
2 Carnation (1a)	26¼	26	26
1 Caro P & L $7 pf(7)	90½	90	90½
2 Carrier Corp	17	16¾	16¾
2 †Catalin Am	4	4	4
1 Celluloid	4½	4⅛	4⅛
1 Cen & S W Ut	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜
.10 †Cen N Y P pf (5)	93½	93½	93½
2 †Cen Ohio Sti(.30g)	8¾	8¾	8¾
1 Cen St El	⅜	⅜	⅜
2 †Centrif Pipe (.40)	4	4	4
2 Chi Pneu Shs (.40a)	74	74	74
.80 Childs pf	53½	53	53
20 Cities Service	8⅛	7⅞	7⅞
4 Cities Svc pf	46	45	45
7.50 Cit Svc P & L $7 pf	72⅛	72⅛	72⅛
1 Claude Neon Lts	1	1	1
1 Clayton & Lam	2¾	2¾	2¾
1 Cleve El Illum (2a)	37	37	37
3 †Cleve Tract	5½	5	5
3 Club Al Uten	3	3	3
1 †Colo Fuel & I war	7	7	7
1 †Colon Fin Arms (2)	89¾	89¾	89¾
.25 Colum G & E pf (5)	65	65	65
2 Colum O&G (.15e)	3¾	3¾	3¾
8 Comwith & So war	⅛	3-32	3-32
.50 Com Pw & Lt 1 pf	33	33	33
21 Cons Copper (¼e)	7¼	6¾	6¾
1 †Cons Dis&E B(3.60)	76¼	76¼	76¼
2 †Cons Gas Ut	11	11	11
1 Cons Ret Strs	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞
1 Cons Sti Corp	5½	5½	5½
3 Cont Roll & Sti	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞
1 †Cook Pt & V (.60)	8¾	8¾	8¾
4 †Cooper-Bess	7	6¾	6¾
2 †Coaden Petro	1	1	1
3 Creole Pet (.e)	22¾	22½	22½
2 Crocker-Wh El M	6⅝	6⅜	6⅜
2 †Croft Brewing	⅛	⅛	⅛
3 †Crown Drug	1⅜	1⅛	1⅜
.50 †Cuneo Press (1½g)	49	49	49
D			
2 Darby Pet (⅛g)	6½	6½	6½
1 †Dayton Rub (½e)	15¼	15¼	15¼
1 Decca Rec (.60e)	6	6	6
4 †Delay Strs (.20g)	3	3	3
.20 Dennison 1 pf	24½	24½	24½
1 †Derby Oil	13¾	13¾	13¾
1 †Det Paper Prod	1¾	1¾	1¾
1 †Det Sti Prod (½e)	25½	25¼	25¼
.30 Draper Corp (1¾g)	16¼	16¼	16¼
1 †Driver-Har (.60g)	1¾	1¾	1¾
1 †Dubilier Cond(.10e)	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
6 †Duro-T (4%f) XD	4¾	4¾	4¾
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7 East Gas & F	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
1.50 East G&F 6 pf	10½	10½	10½
.50 East G&F pr pf	20¼	20¼	20¼
.50 Eisler(¼e)	16½	16½	16½
91 El Bond & Sh	11¼	10¾	10¾
1 El Bd & Sh pf (6)	69	69	69
1 El Pow As (.10e)	3	3	3
3 El Pow As A (.10e)	3	3	3
.50 El P & L 2 pf A	26	26	26
12 †Elect Shara	2¾	2¼	2¼
.50 Emp G&F 7% pf	57	57	57
21 †Breese Corp (.40e)	11	10⅛	10⅝
8 Brew Asso (.10g)	11¼	11	11
1 †Bridgpt Mach	5½	5½	5½
1 Brill pf	25	25	25
9 †Brillo Mfg (.80)	10	9⅜	9¾
1 Br-A Tr Br (.34g)	22¾	22¾	22¾
.80 Brown Co pf	17½	17½	17½
2 †Brown-P Dist	2½	2¼	2¼
3 †Brown Rubber	4¾	4¾	4¾
1 Buf N & E P 1 pf(5)	106¼	106¼	106¼
3 Bunk Hill & S	13¾	13⅝	13⅝
C			
35 †Fairchild Av (.30e)	14¾	13¾	14⅜
1 †Falstaff Brew (.60)	7¾	7¼	7¾
1 †Fanny Farm (1a)	21	21	21
1 †Ferro Enam	18	18	18
.10 Fire Ass Phil (2a)	58½	58½	58½
2 Fisk Rub (½e)	9¾	9¾	9¾
1 Fisk Rub pf (8)	75	75	75
2 Ford M C A (1)	21	20⅞	20⅞
2 Ford M C A (1)	21¼	21⅛	21⅛
.75 Fruehauf Tr (¼e)	12¼	12	12½
G			
1 Gen Firepfs (.70e)	12¼	12¼	12¼
1 Gen Invest	4	4	4
.10 Gen T&R pf A (6)	99	99	99
.50 Gen T&R pf B (6)	90	90	90
.20 †Gilbert pf	28½	28½	28½
1 †Gilchrist (.15e)	6	6	6
4 Glen Alden Coal	4⅝	4½	4½
1 Godchaux A (.4)	28½	28½	28½
1 Goldfield Con	⅛	⅛	⅛
2 Gray Mfg	11⅝	11½	11½
1 Gt A & P ny (3g)	78⅛	78	78
.25 Gt A&P 1st pf (7)	128⅛	128⅛	128⅛
1 Greenf T & D	6¼	6¼	6¼
2 †Groc Str Prod	2⅝	2½	2½
18 †Gum Aire E (¾g)	19¼	18¾	19
10 Gulf Oil (1)	38	37	37⅛
H			
2 †Harvard Brew	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
4 †Hat Corp Am B	5⅛	5⅛	5⅜
1 †Hazel Bish (.20)	32½	31½	32½
3 †Heela Min (.10g)	7⅞	7⅝	7⅞
2 Herdan Chem(.40g)	41	41	41
2 †Hoe (R) & Co A	7½	7	7
3 Holling Gold (.85g)	14⅝	13½	14⅜
.50 Horn & Hard (2)	37¾	37¾	37¾
.50 †Hulyer's pf	7	7	7
.50 Hvgrade Sylv (1½g)	29	29	29
I			
3 †Ill Iowa Pow pf	23	22¾	22¾
2 Imp Oil Ltd (½a)	16¾	16⅝	16⅝
1 Ins Co N Am (.40g)	65¾	65	65
4 Int Hyd-El pf	18¼	17½	17½
22 Int Indust	3⅛	3	3
3 Int PaperPow war	3	3	3
.50 †Inter Ut pr pf(3½)	37¾	37¾	37¾
2 †Int Vitamin (.35e)	3¾	3¾	3¾
.50 Iron Firem vte(1.20)	17¼	17¼	17¼
2 †Irving Air Ch (1a)	19¾	19¾	19¾
J			
5 †Jaeger (P L)	3¾	3¾	3¾
1 †Jeannette Gla	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜
.35 J C P&L$½pf(5½)	81	81	81
.20 Jer C P&L 6 pf (6)	87	87	87
K			
.50 †Ken-R T&La(5e)	7½	7½	7½
.50 Kimberly-Cl pf (6)	107	107	107
.10 Kings C Lig pf B(7)	70	70	70
1 †Kingston Prod	2	2	2
2 †Kirby Pet (.10e)	3¾	3⅝	3⅝
3 †Knott Corp (.40)	15	14⅞	14⅞
L			
1 Lake Shore M (4)	47	47	47
6 Lakey Fdy & M	3¾	3¾	3¾
1 Lehigh C&N (.10e)	3¼	3¼	3¼
2 Line Material (.30e)	14½	14½	14½
11 Lion Oil (1)	18¾	18	18
4 Lipton (TJ) A (1)	15¾	15	15
143 †Lockheed Aire	35	33¾	34¾
1 Long Is L pf	30½	29½	29½
.25 Long Is L pf B	25⅝	25⅛	25⅛
2 Ludlow Valve	9	9	9
1 †Lynch Corp (2)	31½	31⅛	31⅛
M			
35 †Majestic Rad & T	1¾	1⅝	1⅝
1 †Marion St Shov	4	4	4
1 May Hosiery pf (4)	54	54	54
1 †McCord Rad B	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛
2 McWill Dredg	14½	14	14
1 †Memph N G (.45e)	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
.50 Memph P&L pf (7)	94½	94½	94½
1 †Menant Silve	20½	20	20
1 †Mer & M S A (.60)	4½	4⅛	4⅛
2 †Merritt-C & S	5½	5⅛	5⅛
1 Mesabi Iron	½	½	½
.25 Metro Ed $6 pf (6)	98	98	98
1 †Mexico-Ohio Oil	⅝	⅝	⅝
4 †Mich Bumper	½	½	½
1 †Michigan G&O	3	3	2
5 Mid St Pet A vtc	5¾	5¾	5¾
.25 Midvale (5e)	102	102	102
3 †Midwest Oil (1)	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝
1 †Molybdenum	5	5	5
7 †Monogram Pict	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
.60 Mont Ward A (7)	160	160	160
1 Montr Lt&P (1½)	31	31	31
1 †Mount City Cop	5⅛	5	5⅛
3 Mount Prod (.60)	5⅝	5¼	5⅝
1 †Musker P R (.90e)	12	12	12
N			
2 †Nat Bellas Hess	⅝	⅝	⅝
3 †Nat Coal (.07½e)	6¾	6¾	6¾
1 Nat Fuel G (1)	13	13	13
1 †Nat Oil Prod (.90e)	33	33	33
1 Nat P&L pf (6)	91	91	91
1 †Nat Tun & Mines	⅛	⅛	⅛
1 †Nat Un Radio	1½	1½	1½
1 †Navarro Oil (.40e)	14½	14½	14½
1 †Nebel (Oscar)	½	½	½
1 Nehi Corp (.4g)	42	42	42
.50 New Eng P&L pf(1k)	48¾	48¾	48¾
1 N J Zinc (1g)	65½	65½	65½
1 †NYC Omnibus war	2¾	2¾	2¾
.10 †NY P&L $6 pf (6)	101½	101½	101½
1 †NY P&L 7% pf (7)	107	107	107
1 †NY Transit C.15g)	4¾	4¾	4¾

Sales in hundreds.	High	Low	Close
19 †Niag Hud P (¼e)	8¾	8½	8½
1 †Nias Sh M B (¼e)	5¾	5¾	5¾
8 Niles-Bem-P (½g)	58½	57½	57½
1 †Noma Elec (.35e)	5⅝	5½	5⅝
3 Nor Am L&APow	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
.50 Nor Am L&P pf	64½	64½	64½
1 †Nor Am R A (¼e)	18¾	18¼	18¼
.10 Nor I Pa 6% pf (6)	86½	86½	86½
1 Nor Pow L (.35e)	4¾	4¾	4¾
3 Nor Sts Pw A	11¾	10⅝	10⅝
O			
.50 Ohio Brass B	22½	22½	22½
.50 Ohio Ed pf (5)	102¼	102¼	102¼
1 Omar Inc (¼e)	7	7	7
P			
1 Pac G&E 6 pf(1¾)	32¾	32¾	32¾
.50 P G & E 5½pf(1⅜)	29½	29½	29½
41 Pantepec Oil Ven	8¾	8¾	8¾
.50 Penin Tel (1.60a)	29	29	29
12 Pennroad	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
2 †Pa-Dent Alrl	8⅝	8⅛	8⅛
.10 Pa P & L $6 pf (6)	98⅞	98⅞	98⅞
.25 Pa P & L $7 pf (7)	104	104	104
2 †Pa W & P (1¼e)	20¼	20	20
1 †Pepperell (1e)	66	65	65
1 Phila Co (.80g)	7½	7⅛	7⅛
.25 Phila El P pf (3)	30½	30½	30½
3 †Phoenix Sec	5¾	5¾	5¾
.50 †Phoen Sec pf	35	35	35
3 †Pierce Gov (.15g)	18	17	18
1.20 Pitts & L E (1¾g)	55½	55	55
3 †Pitts Pors	11¼	10¾	10¾
2 †Pitts Metallu	7⅞	7⅛	7⅛
3 Pitts Pl Gl (1¾e)	103¾	103	103¼
3 †Plough Inc (.15e)	8½	8⅛	8⅛
2 †Polaris Mng (.12e)	2	2	2
3 †Premier Gld (.12)	2	2	2
1 Pressed Met new	9¾	9¾	9¾
3 Prosperity Co B	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜
1 †Prud Investors	6⅛	6⅛	6⅛
.30 P S C 7 pc pf (7)	107	107	107
1.80 P S Ind $7 pr pf	56¾	56¼	56¼
1 Pub Sd P & L $5 pf	47	46¾	46¾
1.75 Pub Sd P & L $6 pf	19¼	18¾	18¾
Q			
1 Quaker Oats (5)	118¼	118	119¼
.10 Quaker Oats pf (6)	151	151	151
R			
2 †Reiter-Fost	⅞	⅞	⅞
7 Reynolds Inv	⅞	⅞	⅞
1 Richmond Rad	3	3	3
1 †Rosser & Pend (1)	14¾	14⅝	14⅝
6 †Rustless I & S	11⅛	11	11¼
1 †R I&S cv pf(2½)	44	44	44
S			
8 St Regis Pap	2¾	2¾	2¾
6 †Salt Dome Oil	13⅜	13½	13½
1 †Samson Unit	1¼	1¼	1¼
2 Scovill Mfg	23⅜	23½	23½
.25 Scran-S R W pf	25½	25½	25½
1 Segal Lock & H	⅝	⅝	⅝
2 †Sellerling Rub	6½	5½	5½
.50 †Sel I (al st) (5½)	63⅜	63⅜	63⅜
7 †Seversky Aire	4½	4½	4⅝
1 †Shat-Denn (¼g)	7	7	7
1 Sherwin-Wms (½g)	105	105	105
1 †Simmons Mar & Pk	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜
1 †Simplicity Pat	2½	2½	2½
.10 Singer Mfg (6a)	210	210	210
3 †Sonotone (.15e)	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
1 So C Ed $ pf (1¼)	22	22	22
1 South Pipe L (.15g)	3½	3½	3½
.10 So New Eng Tel (4)	148¾	148¾	148¾
3 †Southld Roy (½e)	6	6	6
1 †Stand Inv pf	9	9	9
2 †St Oil Ky (1)	18¾	18½	18½
2 †St Oil Neb	8¼	8¼	8¼
10 †St Pow & Lt	1	1	1
.50 St Pow & L pf	33	33	33
5 †Stand Prod	9¾	9	9
1 †Std Sti Sprg (.40e)	27½	27½	27½
3 †Starrett Corp vtg	3¼	3¼	3⅜
.50 †Starchi Pr $5 pf(5)	84	84	84
2 †Stari Alum Pr(½g)	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝
1 †Sterling Inc (.20)	3½	3½	3½
1 Stetson (J B)	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝
2 †Strook & Co(½e)	8¾	8¾	8¾
5 †Sunray Oil (.05g)	2¼	2¼	2¼
T			
1 †Taggart	4½	4½	4½
2 Tampa El (2.24)	34	33¾	33¾
1 †Taylor (K) Distl	⅞	⅞	⅞
4 †Technicolor (1a)	18¾	18⅝	18⅝
4.25 Tel&T El P 7% pf(7)	95½	95½	95½
4 †Texon Oil & L	3¾	3¼	3½
9 Tob Prod Exp(.35e)	4½	4½	4½
8 Tob Sec Ltd (.625e)	14¾	14¾	14¾
3 To Sec Ltd D(.036e)	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
1 Todd Shipyds (2½e)	80	79½	80
5 †Trans-Lux (.10e)	2	2	2
1 †Transwest Oil	4½	4½	4½
5 Tubize Chat	10¾	10½	10¾
1 †Tung Sol L pf(.80)	7	7	7
U			
2 †Union Pr FS (1)	13¼	13⅛	13⅛
8 †Unit Cig-Wh Strs	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
10 Unit Gas	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜
6 †Unit Gas pf (1¾k)	87	86½	86¾
1 Unit Gas war	1	1	1
9 Unit L&Pow	2½	2½	2½
7 †Unit Lt & P pf	2½	2½	2½
3 †Unit Shipyds A	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
4 Unit Shoe M (2½a)	81¼	80½	80½
4 †U S Ind Chem	1	1	1
1 U S Foil B	4½	4½	4½
1 †U S Lines pf	1¼	1¼	1¼
2 U S Plywood	15¼	15	15
1 †Univ Corp vtc	4¼	4¼	4¼
1 †Utah-Idaho Sug	1	1	1
1.75 Utah P&L pf (1.17½)	58¾	58¼	58¼
16 Util Power & Lt	¼	¼	¼
1 Util Pow & Lt B	1	1	1
1 Util P & L pf	12¾	12¾	12¾
1 Utility & Ind	1¼	1¼	1¼
1 Utility Equit	1¾	1¾	1¾
1 Util Equit pf	51	51	51
V			
2 †Van N MT (1.80e)	28	28	28
2 †Venezuel Pet	⅝	⅝	⅝
.10 Virg Pub Svc pf	46¼	46¼	46¼
W			
4 Waco Aire	7½	7½	7½
2 Wagner Bak vtc	8½	8⅜	8½
1 West Air Exp	4	4	4
1 Wms Oil-O-Mat	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜
1 †Wilson-Jones	8¼	8¼	8¼
1 †Woodley Pet (.40)	5¾	5⅝	5⅝
3 Woolw Ltd (.41½g)	14½	14½	14½
1 †Wright Hard (.40a)	8½	8½	8½
Y			
2 †Yukon Pac M	1¼	1¼	1¼

†Stocks marked are fully listed on the Curb Exchange. All others are dealt on an unlisted trading basis.

Rates of dividends in the foregoing table are annual disbursements based on the last quarterly or semiannual declaration. Unless otherwise noted, special or extra dividends are not included.

XD—Ex dividend. XR—Ex rights.
(a) Also extra or extras. (g) Declared or paid in this year. (f) Payable in stock. (e) Paid last year. (h) Cash or stock. (k) Accumulated dividend paid or declared this year. (r) Under rule. (ww) With warrants. (xw) Without warrants. (wa) Warrants.

Curb Bonds

Total bond sales yesterday, $1,900,000; year ago, $1,133,000.

Sales in thousands.	High	Low	Close
DOMESTIC BONDS			
A			
16 Ala Pow 5 '51	104	103¾	104
28 Ala Pow 4½ '67	95½	94½	94½
26 Am G & E 5 2028	108⅝	108¼	108¼
9 Am P & L 6 2016	93¾	93¾	93¾
43 Ark P&L 5 '56	103⅝	103	103⅛
8 As Elec 4½ '53	52¼	52¼	52¼
16 As G & E 5 '50	35½	34	34
18 As G & E 5 '58	34¾	33¾	33¾
2 As G & E 4½ '40	33¾	32¾	32¾
B			
33 †Baldw L 6 '50	103¼	100	100
C			
34 Caro P & L 5 '56	103⅞	103⅜	103⅜
21 Cen P & L 5 '56	101¾	100¾	100

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HOLMES, CLARA C. On Sunday, February 19, 1939, at Takoma Park Hosptial, CLARA C. HOLMES, beloved wife of Dr. John A. Holmes, Rockville pike, Rockville, Md. Remains resting at the Colonial funeral home of William Reuben Pumphrey, Rockville, Md. Funeral services at her late residence on Tuesday, February 21, at 2 p. m. Interment Rockville Union Cemetery.

HOWARD, KATHERINE TUFTS. Suddenly, on Sunday, February 19, 1939, at her residence, 37 Wine ave., Hyattsville, Md., KATHERINE TUFTS HOWARD, beloved wife of William E. Howard. Services at the Pinkney Memorial Episcopal Church, Hyattsville, Md., on Tuesday, February 21, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

KANE, MARY A. Suddenly, on Saturday, February 18, 1939, at her residence, 1343 Perry pl. nw., MARY A. KANE, beloved wife of Frank J. Kane and mother of Mary C., J. Francis and Anita J. Kane. Funeral from the above residence on Tuesday, February 21, at 8:30 a. m. Requiem mass at the Shrine of the Sacred Heart at 9 a. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

KENNARD, FLORENCE H. On Saturday, February 18, 1939, at her residence, 3125 Newton st. ne., FLORENCE H. KENNARD, beloved wife of the late Charles A. Kennard, aged 74 years. Services at her late residence, on Tuesday, February 21, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery. Arrangements by the Huntemann funeral home, 5732 Ga. ave. nw.

KAISER, WILLIAM. On Monday, February 20, 1939, WILLIAM KAISER, aged 74 years, son of the late John and Elanore Kaiser and brother of Mrs. H. L. Golt. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Wednesday, February 22, at 1 p. m. Interment Prospect Hill Cemetery.

KUHN, CHARLES E. Suddenly, on Sunday, February 19, 1939, at Baltimore, Md., CHARLES E. KUHN, brother of Henry Kuhn, of 43 Maryland ave., Hyattsville, Md. Remains resting at Gasch's funeral home, 46 Maryland ave., Hyattsville, Md. Services and interment Sperrysville, Va., on Tuesday, February 21, at 2 p. m.

LINEBARGER, JUDGE PAUL MYRON WENTWORTH. On Sunday, February 19, 1939, at Emergency Hospital, Judge PAUL MYRON WENTWORTH LINEBARGER, beloved husband of Lillian G. Linebarger, of 2006 R st. nw., and father of Paul Myron Anthony and Wayne Wentworth Linebarger. Friends are invited to call at Gawler's chapel, 1756 Pennsylvania ave. nw. Services at Fort Myer chapel on Tuesday, February 21, at 1 p. m. Interment, with military honors, Arlington National Cemetery.

McCAWLEY, SARAH HELEN FRELINGHUYSEN. On Sunday, February 19, 1939, at her residence, 1610 New Hampshire ave. nw., SARAH HELEN FRELINGHUYSEN McCAWLEY, widow of Brig. Gen. C. L. McCawley, U. S. M. C. Funeral services Wednesday, February 22, at 1:30 p. m., at St. John's Church, 16th and H sts. nw. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

METRAKOS, ALEXANDRA G. On Monday, February 20, 1939, at George Washington Hospital, ALEXANDRA G. METRAKOS, beloved wife of George N. Metrakos. Remains resting at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw. Funeral services at St. Sophia's Church, 8th and L sts. nw., on Wednesday, February 22, at 2 p. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

MILLER, MARGARET ANN. On Sunday, February 19, 1939, MARGARET ANN MILLER, beloved wife of the late Monroe M. Miller. Remains resting at Gasch's funeral home, 46 Maryland ave., Hyattsville, Md., until Wednesday, February 22, at 9:30 a. m., then to her late residence, 128 Monroe st., Riverdale, Md. Services at the Riverdale Presbyterian Church on Wednesday, February 22, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

NEWMAN, MARGARET E. On Monday, February 20, 1939, at her residence, 2503 14th st. nw., MARGARET E. NEWMAN, widow of Theron W. Newman and mother of Cora E. Newman. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Wednesday, February 22, at 11:30 a. m. Interment Glenwood Cemetery.

PAINTER, JAMES W. On Monday, February 20, 1939, at his residence, 1169 Third st. ne., JAMES W. PAINTER, beloved husband of Rosa G. Painter and brother of Rolen E. and Francis M. Painter. Funeral from the Wm. H. Bardo & Co. funeral chapel, 413 H st. ne., on Wednesday, February 22, at 10 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment River View Cemetery, Strasburg, Va.

PATIENCE, LUTHER. On Monday, February 20, 1939, at Hollyood, Md., LUTHER PATIENCE, the beloved husband of the late Letitia Patience. He is survived by four sons and four daughters. Remains resting at the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home, 1400 Chapin st. nw. Notice of funeral later.

PEARCE, LENA. On Saturday, February 18, 1939, LENA PEARCE, the beloved wife of Henry Pearce and mother of Mrs. Katherine Rockenbach. She is also survived by three sisters. Funeral services at the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home, 1400 Chapin st. nw., on Tuesday, February 21, at 2 p. m. Interment Prospect Hill Cemetery. Funeral services and interment strictly private.

PENTICOST, PETER MALCOLM. On Monday, February 20, 1939, at Children's Hospital, PETER MALCOLM PENTICOST, beloved son of Walter M. and Norma L. Penticost (nee Malcolm); aged 3 months. Services and interment (private) on Wednesday, February 22, at 2 p. m., at Fort Lincoln Cemetery. Arrangements by the Takoma Funeral Home.

PETRIE, JANE. On Saturday, February 18, 1939, at Casualty Hospital, JANE PETRIE, the beloved sister of John R. Petrie and cousin of Mrs. Dollie Fitzgerald (nee Petrie), Mrs. Nellie Maxsell, Mrs. Kate Boyd, Mrs. Elizabeth Duncan, Mrs. Hattie Hunter, Mrs. Mary Diamond, Mrs. Margaret Ficklin, Mrs. Jane Bath, Alex Petrie and John Petrie, of Kenilworth, D. C.; William Petrie, of Cheverly, Md., and James P. Petrie. Funeral services at the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home, 1400 Chapin st. nw., on Wednesday, February 22, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Rock Creek Cemetery.

ROBINSON, KATHERINE C. On Sunday, February 19, 1939, at the residence of her son, 5228 8th st. nw., KATHERINE C. ROBINSON (nee Loeffler), beloved wife of Jerome B. Robinson and mother of Francis Kull and Ernest J. Robinson. Services at the Huntemann funeral home, 5732 Georgia ave. nw., on Wednesday, February 22, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment Rock Creek Cemetery.

SIKIRICH, SAMUEL J. On Monday, February 20, 1939, at her residence, 3153 Mount Pleasant st. nw., SAMUEL J. SIKIRICH, beloved husband of Margaret L. Sikirich. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Wednesday, February 22, at 10 a. m. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

SKINNER, PERCY H. Suddenly, on Sunday, February 19, 1939, at Colonial Beach, Va., PERCY H. SKINNER, the beloved father of Mrs. P. C. Kimball, Miss Inez Skinner and Percy H. Skinner, Jr. Funeral from the W. W. Chambers Co., Southeast funeral home, 517 11th st. se., on Tuesday, February 21, at 10 a. m. Services and interment Arlington National Cemetery at 10:30 a. m. Relatives and friends invited.

SUTER, MARIAN CARTER. On Monday, February 20, 1939, at her residence, the Argonne Apartments, MARIAN CARTER SUTER, beloved wife of Robert Donn Suter and daughter of the late William H. and Mary W. Carter. Funeral services at the S. H. Hines funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Thursday, February 23, at 1 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Glenwood Cemetery.

TATE, ARIANNA. On Sunday, February 19, 1939, at her residence, 1453 Belmont st. nw., ARIANNA TATE, aged 94 years, wife of the late Allen S. Tate, of Rutledge, Tenn. Funeral services at the above residence on Tuesday, February 21, at 11 a. m. Interment Glenwood Cemetery.

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TROTTA, MARIANNA. On Monday, February 20, 1939, MARIANNA TROTTA, beloved wife of the late Ralph Trotta and mother of Angelo Trotta and Rosina Pizzi, of 2735 Fourth st. ne. Funeral from the Saffell funeral home, 475 H st. nw., on Wednesday, February 22, at 8:30 a. m. Requiem mass at the Holy Rosary Church at 9 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment St. Mary's Cemetery.

—Deaths—

Announcement of Services by Chambers

Deceased	Undertaker
Doyle, C. Jane	W. W. Chambers Co.
Skinner, Percy H.	W. W. Chambers Co.
Pearce, Lena	W. W. Chambers Co.
Petrie, Jane	W. W. Chambers Co.
Bruce, Cora M.	W. W. Chambers Co.
Patience, Luther	W. W. Chambers Co.

Bids and Proposals

COMMISSIONERS, D. C., WASHINGTON, February 17, 1939. Sealed proposals will be received at Room 329 District Building until 2 o'clock p. m., and then publicly opened as follows: (a) On March 3, 1939, for constructing about 7,600 square yards of cement concrete sidewalk and about 5,400 square yards of cement concrete alley pavement, or alternate and (b) On March 6, 1939, for about 32,500 square yards of sheet asphalt pavement and about 32,500 square yards of cement concrete base course, or alternate. Apply Room 427 District Building for proposals and specifications.

Legal Notices

WINTHROP, MITCHELL & CO.—CERTIFICATE OF LIMITED PARTNERSHIP.

We, the undersigned, desiring to form a limited partnership pursuant to the laws of the District of Columbia, do hereby state and certify as follows:

I. The name of the partnership is WINTHROP, MITCHELL & CO.

II. The names and places of residence of the members, general and special, are:

GENERAL PARTNERS

Name	Residence
HENRY ROGERS WINTHROP	New York, N. Y.
LEEDS MITCHELL	Chicago, Illinois
THEODORE E. CUNNINGHAM	Brookline, Illinois
JOHN J. FAGAN	New York, N. Y.
HARRY C. SCHAACK	Chicago, Illinois
GEORGE R. THORNTON	Oak Park, Illinois
ALFRED I. PRESTON JR.	New York, N. Y.
RICHARD P. LOASBY	Montclair, N. J.
RICHARD F. BABCOCK	Woodbury, L. I., N. Y.
HENRY F. GODFREY	Brookfield Center, Conn.
THOMAS MILLER	Chicago, Illinois
ARTHUR J. G. ILLIAN	Kew Gardens, L. I., N. Y.
JAMES J. MASTERSON	Bergenfield, N. J.
WILLIAM P. S. EARLE JR.	New York, N. Y.
HENRY W. BULL	New York, N. Y.
WILLIAM J. CUNNINGHAM	Brooklyn, N. Y.
GEORGE F. BRENNAN	Jersey City, N. J.
MALCOLM S. McCONIHE JR.	New York, N. Y.

SPECIAL PARTNERS

ROBERT R. HITT	Glen Cove, L. I., N. Y.
WALTER SCHUTTLER	Chicago, Illinois
MILTON W. HOLDEN	Palm Beach, Florida
GRACE C. BABCOCK	New York, N. Y.
ADENA P. LOASBY	Montclair, N. J.
HARRISON K. BIRD	Huletts Landing, N. Y.
HENRY ROGERS WINTHROP	New York, N. Y.

—which contribution is in addition to his contribution as a general partner.

III. The general nature of the business intended to be transacted shall be a general brokerage and commission business dealing in securities and commodities.

IV. The partnership is to commence January 1, 1939 and shall terminate at the close of business on December 31, 1939, unless sooner terminated.

V. The amounts of cash actually contributed by the special partners to the common stock are:

WALTER SCHUTTLER	$150.000
MILTON W. HOLDEN	300.000
GRACE C. BABCOCK	150.000
ADENA P. LOASBY	100.000
HARRISON K. BIRD	100.000
HENRY ROGERS WINTHROP	300.000

Dated: December 31, 1938

HENRY ROGERS WINTHROP
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The foregoing Certificate, duly acknowledged, was duly filed and recorded on the 7th day of February, 1939, in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of the United States for the District of Columbia, Washington, D. C., and an affidavit, duly verified by two general partners stating that the specified cash contributions of the special partners have in good faith been actually paid into the partnership fund, has been filed therewith.

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Auction Sales

THURSDAY, MARCH 2, 1939—
ADAM A. WESCHLER & SON, Auctioneers.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF TWO-STORY DETACHED FRAME DWELLING, SEVEN ROOMS AND BATH, NO. 1206 GALLATIN STREET NORTHWEST, WITH GARAGE.

By virtue of a deed of trust recorded in Liber No. 6818, folio 433, et seq., one of the land records of the District of Columbia, and at the request of party secured thereby, the undersigned trustees will offer for sale by public auction, in front of premises, on THURSDAY, THE SECOND DAY OF MARCH, 1939, AT THREE-THIRTY O'CLOCK P. M., the following-described property in the District of Columbia, to-wit: Lot 23 in Square 2928 in the subdivision made by the Lynchburg Investment Corporation of land now known as "Fourteenth Street Terrace," as per plat recorded in Liber 36, folio 2, of the records of the office of the Surveyor of the District of Columbia. Subject to the right of redemption by the makers of the aforesaid deed of trust, their heirs and assigns, within a period of sixty days from the date of sale, not excluding Sundays and holidays, as provided in said deed of trust. Subject to any and all liens created by conditional bills of sale for heating and other equipment, if any, and overdue water rentals. All other taxes and assessments to be adjusted to date of transfer of title.

TERMS OF SALE: One-third of the purchase money to be paid in cash, balance in equal installments, represented by promissory notes of purchaser payable in one and two years, with interest at 5 per cent per annum from day of sale, payable semi-annually, secured by first deed of trust upon property sold, or all cash, at option of purchaser. A deposit of $500.00 required of purchaser at sale. Examination of title, conveyancing, recording, revenue stamps and notarial fees at cost of purchaser. Terms to be complied with within ten days from expiration of redemption period, otherwise trustees reserve the right to resell property at risk and cost of defaulting purchaser, after five days' advertisement of such resale in some newspaper published in Washington, D. C., or deposit may be forfeited, or without forfeiting deposit trustees may avail themselves of any legal or equitable rights against defaulting purchaser.

CHARLES A. JONES.
PAUL J. FRIZZELL.
Trustees.

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ADAM A. WESCHLER & SON, Auctioneers.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF EIGHT BRICK AND FIVE METAL GARAGES ON ALLEY BETWEEN SHEPHERD AND TAYLOR STREETS, KANSAS AND GEORGIA AVENUES NORTHWEST.

By virtue of a deed of trust recorded in Liber No. 6426, folio 465, et seq., one of the land records of the District of Columbia, and at the request of party secured thereby, the undersigned trustees will offer for sale by public auction, in front of premises, on FRIDAY, THE TWENTY-FOURTH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1939, AT 3 O'CLOCK P. M., the following-described property in the District of Columbia, to wit: The South 26 feet by the full width of Lot 23 in Block 6 in John D. Coughlan, trustee's subdivision of part of a tract of land called "Padsworth" now known as "North Columbia Heights," as per plat recorded in the Office of the Surveyor for the District of Columbia in Liber County 15 at folio 19; now known for purposes of assessment and taxation as Lot 809 in Square 2909.

TERMS OF SALE: Cash. A deposit of $300 required of purchaser at sale. Examination of title, conveyancing, recording, revenue stamps and notarial fees at cost of purchaser. Terms to be complied with within thirty days from day of sale, otherwise trustees reserve the right to resell property at risk and cost of defaulting purchaser, after five days' advertisement of such resale in some newspaper published in Washington, D. C., or deposit may be forfeited, or without forfeiting deposit trustees may avail themselves of any legal or equitable rights against defaulting purchaser.

HARRY E. MERCIER.
JOSEPH C. STEPHENSON.
Trustees.

P—Feb.13,16,18,21,24.

Auction Sales

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1939—
ADAM A. WESCHLER & SON, Auctioneers.

UNITED STATES MARSHAL'S SALE OF RESTAURANT FURNISHINGS AND EQUIPMENT.

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the clerk's office of the District Court of the United States for the District of Columbia and to me directed, I will sell by public auction, at No. 741 Thirteenth street northwest, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1939, COMMENCING AT TEN O'CLOCK A. M., Crosley electric refrigerator, SoCold 4-door refrigerator with Frick compressor, National cash register, Toastmaster toaster, coffee brewers and bottles, Marsh grease trap, ventilating fans, piano and bench, neon signs, plate glass pastry cases, electric mixer, linoleum, awnings, Royal typewriter, china, glassware, utensils, Venetian blinds, desk, etc.

In re: P. J. Walshe, Inc., a body corporate, vs. Holmes Restaurant Corporation, a body corporate. Municipal Court No. 377-363.

TERMS: Cash.

JOHN B. COLPOYS,
United States Marshal in and for the District of Columbia. 20-21

THURSDAY, MARCH 2, 1939—
ADAM A. WESCHLER & SON, Auctioneers.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF TWO-STORY, SEMI-DETACHED FRAME-STUCCO DWELLING, SIX ROOMS AND BATH, NO. 3826 WARREN STREET NORTHWEST.

By virtue of a deed of trust recorded in Liber No. 6770, folio 489, et seq., one of the land records of the District of Columbia, and at the request of party secured thereby, the undersigned trustees will offer for sale by public auction, in front of premises, on THURSDAY, THE SECOND DAY OF MARCH, 1939, AT THREE-FIFTY O'CLOCK P. M., the following-described property in the District of Columbia, to-wit: Lot 20 in Square 1832 in Phillips and King's subdivision, as per plat recorded in the office of the Surveyor for the District of Columbia in Liber 67 at folio 39; subject to the building restriction line as shown on said plat. Subject to the right of redemption by the maker of the aforesaid deed of trust, her heirs and assigns, within a period of sixty days from the date of sale, not excluding Sundays and holidays, as provided in said deed of trust. Subject to any and all liens created by conditional bills of sale for heating and other equipment, if any, and overdue water rentals. All other taxes and assessments to be adjusted to date of transfer of title.

TERMS OF SALE: One-third of the purchase money to be paid in cash, balance in equal installments, represented by promissory notes of purchaser payable in one and two years, with interest at 5 per cent per annum, secured by first deed of trust upon property sold, or all cash, at option of purchaser. A deposit of $500.00 required of purchaser at sale. Examination of title, conveyancing, recording, revenue stamps and notarial fees at cost of purchaser. Terms to be complied with within ten days from expiration of redemption period, otherwise trustees reserve the right to resell property at risk and cost of defaulting purchaser, after five days' advertisement of such resale in some newspaper published in Washington, D. C., or deposit may be forfeited, or without forfeiting deposit trustees may avail themselves of any legal or equitable rights against defaulting purchaser.

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CINDERS—Cellars, driveways, etc. Henderson's. 1317 N 19. Arlington. Ox. 0275.

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Lost and Found 1

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CHANGE PURSE, red, vic. downtown, containing money; rew. NO. 1026, before 10 a. m.

HANDBAG, blue, contain. money; 13th and Allison sts., Feb. 15; reward. CH. 6882.

LOST—Lady's small square gold wrist watch with bracelet; probably in taxi. Reward. Tel. NA. 3120, ext. 583.

LOST—Pointer puppy, female, white with liver markings on head and spot over tail, blaze face. Reward if returned to Charles C. Jones, Kensington, Md. Phone Kensington 7.

RING—Diamond, lady's, in platinum setting; about 5½ carats; vic. 14th and Randolph. Liberal reward. M. Kapneck, 736 11th st. nw., 2d floor. ME. 7518.

Personals 3

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BEAUTIFUL PARLORS — For meetings, bridge parties, etc. District 4020 or inquire desk, Grafton Hotel, 1139 Conn.

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DENTAL PLATES REPAIRED "while you wait." Mod. Dental Lab'tories. Rm. 502 Westory Bldg., 14th & F nw. NA. 0773.

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WHILE YOU WAIT
Emergency Laboratory Rooms 901-902
Westory Bldg., 14th and F. MEt. 1833.

Motor Travel 10

LARGE modern moving van. Return from Washington to New York City, Kingston, N. Y., and upstate New York about March 1. Would like full or part load from any place en route. TOMPKINS, 32 Clinton ave., Kingston, N. Y. Kingston 649.

NEW PONTIAC, Calif., by Chicago. Take 2, share expenses. Mr. Conlan. MEt. 4878.

WASH AUTO Travel Service. NAt. 3705. New sedans. Fla., Calif. Share expenses.

Help—Female 11

Women—If you don't find your position in the Help Wanted Column today—place a "Situations Wanted" Ad in The Post. A 2-line ad costs only 30 cents.

NURSES, reg. and practical; doc. ass't.; drug store help; secretaries, typists, etc. PERSONNEL SERVICE. 1311 G st.

WOMEN, OVER 30, PART-TIME WORK. Employment Office, 715 9th st. nw.

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Help—Male 12

Men—If you don't find your position in the Help Wanted Column today—place a "Situations Wanted" Ad in The Post. A 2-line ad costs only 30 cents.

BARBER—White, young, 1st class; guarantee and commn. 5539 Illinois ave. nw.

BARBER—Steady job; guarantee; can make big money. 714 14th st. nw.

BARBER, American, expert, steady work. Friday eve. and Sat. 4409 Bowen rd. se., Bradbury Heights, D. C.

BARBER, good, white, American, for Friday and Saturday; $9 guarantee; if not experienced, do not apply. The Burrows Barber and Beauty Shop, Rockville, Md. Call Rockville 167.

BOOTBLACK for barber shop. 1456 P st. nw.

BOOTBLACK, for barber shop; must be good. 2007 Bunker Hill rd. ne.

BOOTBLACK, for barber shop. Apply 5030 Conn. ave.

COLLECTOR, 21-35 years old, on current accounts; car necessary. See Mr. Murray, 422 Bond Bldg., 14th st. and New York ave. nw.

FOUR neat, aggressive young men for special work. Good pay every day. Mr. Roberts. 1429 F st. nw. after 10 a. m.

MAN for flower shop, some experience preferred; must have D. C. permit. Apply between 9 and 11 a. m., Claire's, 1265 Wisconsin ave. nw. No phone calls.

MAN, neat, aggressive, for steady position in order dept.; about $25 a wk. earnings. 1427 I st. nw., Rm. 210, after 9:30 or 1:30 p. m.

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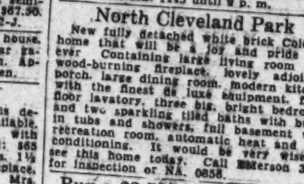

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ARLINGTON—$6,250; new home; 5 rooms; full base.; attic; fireplace; str. porch; insulated; refrig.; gas ranges; oil heat; gar.; nr. bus, schools; terms. CH. 3230.

NEAR WASH. LEE High School—Frame bungalow, 5 rms. and bath; basement; furnace heat; $3,500; easy terms. J. A. BAKER & CO., 1112 N. Irving st., Clarendon, Va. CH. 0970.

NO DOWN PAYMENT—Restricted community; nearby Va.; modern 5-rm., 2-story brick; $6,150 or will build. TE. 4370.

RIVER VIEW—Stone and brick; 6 rms., 2 tile baths; $8,250; terms. Temple 4477.

4-ROOM and bath bungalow; hardwood firs., range, refrig.; 2-car garage; chicken houses; 5 acres, partly wooded; fruit trees; 15 miles from Wash.; priced at $2,850; terms. SMITH, 2408 Columbia pike, Arlington, Va. OXford 2038.

$65 Month 5-room Cape Cod brick.

PHILLIPS H. CLARKE GR. 3734.

$5,850 ARLINGTON, VA.—Only 3 left; New 5-rm., 2 full-story Colonial bricks; 10% down. C. B. Veihman, Ch. 3777.

NEW HOME—$6,950.
At "Sherwood," in Falls Church, Va., is a 6-room bungalow, built to order on large corner lot with beautiful shade trees. Model home open. $500 cash and approximately $32 per month.
THE FAIRFAX REALTY CO., INC.
Builder. Phone Falls Church 1188

$8,250—Large, modern house in perfect condition; 3 miles north of Silver Spring on the pike. Eight rooms (4 bedrooms); hot-water heat, full basement. Situated on 2 acres of beautiful gardens; lawns and shade trees; ideal location and equipment for poultry business or any road-side business. Walking distance of community facilities. Can be handled financed through the FHA.
THE MARYLAND REALTY,
915 Tenth St. N.W. National 8095.

BRANDON VILLAGE,
Arlington, Va.
NEW 5-ROOM BUNGALOWS.
Oil Heat—Air Conditioning.
$5,950—FHA Loan to 90%.
Wilson Blvd. to 4800 Block at Dinwiddie st., left to Open Sign.
J. LEE PRICE.
2303 S. Arlington Ridge Rd. IVy 1272.

THREE BEDROOMS

Extra large living room with fireplace; large side porch; located on 100-ft. corner lot 1 block from Lee Hwy.; 15 minutes' ride from downtown. This house was built to order, never occupied. Sold originally for $8,750. A rare bargain at $8,000; $500 down, $62 per mo. See this house quickly, as it will go this week.
JAMES M. DOYLE
5015 N. Washington St. CH. 1074.

SILVER SPRING, MD.

1731 BRADFORD ROAD
1 Sq. West of 1700 Block Flower Ave.
Bank repossessed; never occupied; 8-room Cape Cod; lot 67 ft.; garage; $500 cash, balance $50 month at 5%. Open.
HYATTSVILLE HILLS, MD.
8 UNIVERSITY DRIVE
(1 mile west of Hyattsville. Opposite Heurich Estate.)
Beautiful suburban location, unobstructed view to estate grounds; lot50x130. Up-to-the-minute bungalow, cook's delight kitchen, Majestic gas range, Crane hot-water heat, Ruud automatic water heater, 2 bedrooms, large closets, living room, dining room and basement
$4,250
Terms to Suit.
MT. VERNON CORPORATION.
2nd Floor Machinists Bldg. NA. 5536.

ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA
Adjacent to West Boundary of
COLONIAL VILLAGE
At Key Blvd. and No. Wayne St.
Now ready for inspection, beautiful new 2-story brick homes just completed. Superior construction; air-conditioned; 2 and 3 bedrooms, closets in each; modern in every respect; wonderful tile baths; slate roofs; copper gutter and spouting; copper screened porches; venetian blinds. School, churches and shopping center all within 3 minutes. 50 ft. wide lots 1 mile to Key Bridge. Unusual interest manifested by homeseekers during construction.
Price $6,500 to $7,500
Open 10 A. M. to 9 P. M., Daily and Sunday
N. E. RYON COMPANY
2203 Wilson Blvd.
Chestnut 2880 OXford 1288

Sale—Farms, Land 73

$4,250—5 acres; 7-room house; furnace; elec.; choice loc.; 20 min. D. C. RALPH CRAIN, 4399 Lee Highway. CH. 3259.

$40 PER ACRE

125 acres, 12 miles from Washington, on State road; 15 mile of macadam. City electricity available. No buildings. About 40 acres could be put to cultivation. Clear of debt. Price, $5,000; $1,000 cash, balance $50 per month. See Mason Hirst, Annandale, Va. Phone ALexandria 886-J-1. Closed Sundays.

$12,000, 180-acre fruit farm near Baltimore; 30 miles D. C.; 7-room old colonial house; bath, h.-w. heat, electricity. Some boxwood, 25 acres dewberries, 5,000 peach trees. Several outbuildings and tenant houses. Sandy soil. Concrete road.
R. D. LILLIE CO.
364 Carroll St. Takoma Park. GE. 3301.

$3,500

79-acre farm, 4 miles from Warrenton; about 40 acres tillable, balance wooded; quaint 4-room log and frame house, white-washed springhouse, barn and other buildings; 3 fine springs; 65 a large ridge, with a 40-mile view; a week-end place now; a permanent home when you retire; $1,000 cash, balance $25 per month. See Mason Hirst, Annandale, Va. Phone ALexandria 886-J-1. Closed Sundays.

Farms, Acreage Wanted 73A

LAND, farms, suburban homes; sale or trade. Write WARING, Box 94, Landover, Md., or GR. 2232.

Sale—Shores, Waterfront 74

$300 DOWN—2½ acres, with 1,000-ft. high water front; good ducking shore; $2,000. NA. 3783 or DUp. 4929.

Sale—Out-of-Town 75

MARYLAND

BUY BALTIMORE SEASONED RENTS. 6%. Charles T. Kalas, 2 East Lexington st., Baltimore.

Business Opportunities 77

A BOARDING HOUSE money maker; East Capitol near 3d; 9 rooms, 2 baths, steam heat; income quoted over $500 monthly; too much business for present owner; furnished. Will trade. Edwin L. Ellis, 1010 Vermont ave. Room 217. NA. 1310.

AUTO REPAIR SHOP, rent $30; elec., water, toilet, floor space; 940 sq. ft.; 30-ft. alley rear. 1223 F st. NE. LI. 7945.

BARBER SHOP for sale; reas. for sale; or terms. Apply 1328 E st. ne.

BEST TOURIST HOME proposition; on Wash. blvd. and No. 1 Hwy. in Alexandria, Va. No brokers. Box M-387, Washington Post.

DINING CAR—Best spot in city; low rental; good profit; terms. 955 Hollander, Room 907, Tower Bldg.

Business Opportunities 77

GASOLINE SERVICE—Gallonage over 20,000 mo.; excl. N.W. cor.; all facilities. 1427 Eye st. nw. (Suite 200). NAt. 1662.

GROCERY STORE—Newly equipped; beer license; $450 cash or $250 terms. 724 S. Lynn St., Arlington, Va. IVy 1068.

GROCERY-Delicatessen—Rent $35. 1 rm. for other business. Will sacrifice for quick sale. 1261 Wisconsin ave.

GUEST HOUSE on Mass. ave.; 28 rooms; rent, $250; income about $1,300 monthly; price only $5,750; reasonable terms. R. M. De Shazo, 1123 14th nw. NA. 5520.

GUEST House; Mass. Ave. 20 r., 3 b. Keach & McCormick, 1010 Vermont Ave. RE. 2919.

REAL home, 10 rooms, 2 baths; oil heat; rent, $75; 2-year lease.
OWENS REALTY CO. ME. 3683.

A ROOMING tourist home, $52 rent; $200 down; Maryland ave. near 3d nr.; really clean. Edwin L. Ellis, 1010 Vermont ave. nw. Room 217. NA. 3310.

ROOMING HOUSE, ALL APARTMENTS; comp., $400. 1117 10th st. nw. RE. 1640.

ROOMING HOUSE near G. W. U.; 14 rms., 5 baths; rent, $132; oil heat; very nicely furnished; price, $2,750; terms.
S. Winfield, 908 10th nw. NA. 9654.

ROOMING HOUSE—15 RMS, 3 BATHS NR. THOMAS CIRCLE, $1,000 HANDLES. HAMMOND & CO., 911 13th St. N.W. RE. 0911.

11 ROOMS, fully furnished; rent, $66; must sacrifice; $300 handles. ME. 3683.

A REAL BARGAIN!

Beauty Shop, modern equipment, established 15 yrs. Busiest shopping center. Will sell or lease at your terms. TEMPLE BEAUTY SHOP, 735 13th st. nw. DU. 9547.

Distinguished Guest House,

EMBASSY SECTION.
Accommodating 32 young people; $5,700. $2,000 down, $123 per mo.; income over $1,100 mo. M-362. Washington Post.

CHEMICAL INDUSTRY

without competition, established in many European countries, also in New Jersey, Bridgeport and Richmond, wants gentleman or firm to invest $1,000; full security; no experience necessary; references exchanged. Box 284. Washington Post.

Dogs, Cats, Pets 79

COCKER SPANIEL PUPPIES, A. K. C. registration; $15 and $20. Call WI. 4064.

SCOTTIES—A. K. C. champion stock. Unusual prices. 813 Madison ave. Riverdale, Md.

Horses—Livestock 81

PAIR mules, 5 young work mares, 6 young work horses. 110 M st. se. AT. 2731.

Sale Miscellaneous 83

DEALERS' ADS under this heading contain no firm name or a business address or state the word "Dealer." Other ads are presumed to be from private individuals. Readers who find dealers masquerading in this column as private individuals are urged to report the matter to The Washington Post.

ACCORDIONS—Before purchasing a piano accordion, it's to your advantage to see Drodd's first. 1300 G st. nw.

ANTIQUES—Very unusual and interesting collection of silver, china, furniture and objects of art. SEE US BEFORE MAKING YOUR SELECTION.
MURRAY GALLERIES.
1724 20th St. N.W. DU. 1211.

ANTIQUES—13-panel corner cabinet, pair mahogany tables, pair rose-carved chairs. WAXLER, 1014 10th st. nw.

BROADLOOM rug, 15x18; floor lamps, end tables, 5-piece Reed set, G. E. washer, kitchen cabinet, gas range, radio, other articles. WO. 8893.

CHAIRS AND TABLES FOR RENT for all occasions. D. NOTES, 633 Indiana ave. DIstrict 8112.

CHAIRS (living room), one rust, one green; $18. NA. 2630. Apt. 106.

DIAMOND RING, 1½ carats; perfect stone; appraised value, $800; executor of estate will sell at sacrifice. Herndon 45 dist. 8 a. m.-5 p. m. or Herndon 28 eves.

EVENING GOWNS (3), sharkskin suit, knitted suit, black dress, sizes 16-18. GE. 5248.

FURNISHINGS for small apt., includ. apt. size upright piano. Call CO. 1283-R after 2 p. m. Sunday, 6 p. m. week days.

LIVING room suite, 2-piece mohair, with slip covers. Bargain. Excellent condition. 1404 Ridge Pl. S.E.

OFFICE FURNITURE—Government surplus. Desks, chairs, files, tables, bookcases, safes, etc.; low prices. H. BAUM & SON, 616 E st. nw.

PIANO—Slightly used latest model Hepplewhite style; full 88 note spinet in very good condition. $215. This model sells new for $345. NAt. 3233. Jordan's corner 13th & G sts. Open evenings.

PIANO—Smallest size latest model baby grand in good condition. $199. Easy terms. New guarantee. NAt. 4730. Kitt's. 1330 G st. Open evenings.

PIANO—Used Chickering Amoico in very good condition, now for sale for less than ½ of original price. NAt. 3223. Jordan's, corner 13th & G sts. Open evenings.

PIANO—Reconditioned plain case medium size upright with a good tone, $69. Will make a splendid practice instrument. Easy terms. Fully guaranteed. NAt. 4730. Kitt's. 1330 G st. Open evenings.

PIANOS—Baby Grands—Arthur Jordan, $175; Meldorf, $100; grand Dexter, $65. Uprights—Kimballs, $50 and $40; Jacobs, $35; Stohlman, $30. Good condition. Smith's Transfer & Storage Co., 1313 You st. nw. NOrth 3343.

RUG—9x18 Cavistan, American Oriental; like new; originally $175; will sell for $75. George's, 3543 Georgia ave., Silver Spring. SH. 5833.

SAFE—Steel double door safe; light weight; large size for records or accounts. Also large safe for jeweler, and a small safe with chest. Krieg Express & Storage Co., 816 Eye st. nw. DI. 2010.

SEWING MACHINES—Portables, electric, like new; all attachments. 2412 18th st. NO. 3245.

RUGS, CARPETS

At lowest prices. Complete assortment. Nationally advertised brands. Also remnants in all sizes. Open evenings. Free parking.
WOODRIDGE RUG & CARPET CO., INC.
1715 Rhode Island Ave. N.E. DU. 8930.

USED 5x8 FILES
JUST PURCHASED FROM
U. S. GOVT.
OAK FINISH WOOD FILES
PER DRAWER **50c**
H. BAUM & SON
616 E ST. N.W. NA. 9186

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VACUUM CLEANERS. Eureka, rebuilt like new; complete with 6 attachments; $18.95; one-year guarantee. Clean-Rite, 905 G st., 3018 14th st. nw. CO. 6100.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

AMERICAN antiques; walnut slope-top desk. Circa 1720, $150; 4-leg dropleaf table. Circa 1790, $50, both $175. ME. 5804.

BED-DAVENPORT—"Simmons;" perfect condition, $30; 2-pc. silk damask living room suite, $30; pair velour drapes, $10. 3100 Conn. ave., Apt. 340.

FRIGIDAIRE—Completely reconditioned; guaranteed. $29.50. 1629 N Capitol st.

GAS RANGES—Reconditioned, $5 up. Peoples Salvage Co., 629 Mass. ave. nw.

REFRIGERATORS—Electric; all makes; reconditioned; drastic reductions; as low as $19.50. 1318 14th st. nw. We service.

REFRIGERATOR—Copeland, used, $19.50 for quick sale; good operating cond. Dist. Elec. Co., No. 1 Dupont Circle. DU. 5900.

SPECIAL new toilet bowl and tank, complete with white seat, $12.50. J. Brenner & Son, 2325 M st. nw. RE.

SMOKEY STOVER — Fed Up

THIS IS PRETTY GOOD BEAN SOUP, SMOKEHOUSE - BUT WHAT MAKES IT TASTE LIKE VEGETABLE?
THAT'S BECAUSE IT'S ONION SOUP!
SO THAT'S WHY SPARKS IS HANGING AROUND ME WHILE I'M EATING - HE MUST LIKE ONION SOUP!
LIKE IT, NOTHING-
OLD ROAT'S IS ACE WITH GOAT'S
HE'S JUST JEALOUS 'CAUSE YOU'RE EATING OUT OF HIS BOWL!
PHOO
ON YOUR MARK- GET SET FOO!
BONK

WINNIE WINKLE — "Out" of a Dream — BY BRANNER

OH, HEAVENS! THE CLOCK'S STOPPED AND BILL WANTS ME TO WAKE HIM AT EIGHT! I'LL HAVE TO TURN ON THE RADIO TO GET THE RIGHT TIME!
ALL READY FOR THE NEXT EXERCISE — ON YOUR TOES—UP-DOWN UP-DOWN-ONE-TWO THREE-FOUR-FIVE - SIX -
SEVEN - EIGHT - NINE - TEN!
HE'S OUT!

MR. AND MRS. — Always the Wrong Answer — BY ARTHUR FOLWELL AND ELLISON HOOVER

HAVE SOMETHING MORE?
I DUNNO — GUESS NOT HAD MY FILL
GO AHEAD, IF YOU WANT ANY MORE
WELL, SINCE YOU ASK ME, MAYBE I'LL HAVE SOME MORE OF THAT SQUASH
OH — YOU WOULD WANT THAT!
WELL, AND WHY NOT? DIDN'T YOU URGE ME?
YES, BUT I'D PLANNED TO HAVE ENOUGH OF THAT LEFT TO MAKE A SQUASH PIE

NAPOLEON AND UNCLE ELBY — BY CLIFFORD McBRIDE

JOE PALOOKA — All Set. — BY HAM FISHER

NAPOLEON, YOU'RE A BUM ESKIMO DOG./ YOU'RE NOT SUPPOSED TO CARRY TH' LEAD DOG IN YOUR MOUTH./ I'VE GOT HIM HITCHED BEHIND YOU TODAY. ALL RIGHT GET STARTED./ MUSH ON!
ARCTIC EXPRESS
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BENNY — Mata Hari's Rival, No Less — BY J. CARVER PUSEY

SAY BERGLE--LET 'IM HAVE IT! GIVE 'IM EV'RYTHING YA GOT THEM BIG GLOVES DON'T HURT.
I'M DOIN' ME BEST. MR. WALSH.
I NEVER LET 'IM REALLY KNOW WHAT I GOT. HE THINKS I CAN'T HIT. I COULD SIT 'IM DOWN EVEN WITH THE BIG GLOVES.
FINE. I'M GOING TO ASK HIM IF HE'LL GIVE AN' EXHIBITION WITH YOU FOR THE SEAMEN'S FUND.
GOOD EVENING GENTLEMEN. MAY I SIT DOWN?
WHY SURE, GLAD T'HAVE YA.
HOW D'YOUSE DO.
I SPOKE TO THE CAPTAIN ABOUT AN EXHIBITION BOUT FOR THE SEAMEN'S FUND. WOULD YOU BE WILLING?
I S'POSE SO.
IT'LL BE A PLEASURE.
A INTERNATIONAL SPY BY CRACKY!

PRIVATE LIVES — By Edwin Cox

SWANK FASHION DESIGNER GABRIELLE CHANEL KEEPS A COLLECTION OF TATTERED CLOTHES IN HER HOME, LOVES TO MAKE UP AS A BEGGAR WOMAN, MIX WITH PARIS STREET MOBS ON RIOT NIGHTS.
KING GEORGE'S LITTLE PRINCESS LILIBET IS A FUR-COAT FANCIER, TOO. SHE HAS AN ERMINE ONE FOR HER DOLL GIVEN HER BY FRENCH SCHOOL CHILDREN AND VALUED AT $1000.
IN HIS EXUBERANCE OVER HIS NEW JOB WITH GOLDWYN
JIMMY ROOSEVELT
BLEW HIS WIFE TO A FURRIER'S DREAM— A MINK COAT MADE ENTIRELY OF ALBINO SKINS! IT HAD TAKEN 16 YEARS TO COLLECT AND MATCH THE SKINS. THE ASKING PRICE: $55,000.
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Contract Bridge

By Florence Osborn.

The interest of the college alumni in bridge playing is not surprising when we consider the interest of the undergraduates. If a boy has not played a game of cards, specifically bridge, in his high school or prep school days, he most certainly will have to learn when he gets to college. There is no panacea for those terrible days, hours, moments before exams quite like a rousing game of contract.

An exciting grand slam, played in the sacred precincts of Eclectic House, oldest fraternity, at Wesleyan University, is sent to us by Frederich Reynold.

He was saved from a disastrous heart grand slam by the warning double of his adversary, Ed Mues. He escaped to seven no trump, which was also doubled, redoubled by his partner, John Wing, and made.

The innocent victim of the proceedings was Mum Daddano, who sat west. "There was something wrong with the bidding," writes Reynold, "but what was it?" Here is his letter:

"The opening lead was the seven of diamonds, which I took in my hand with the ace. I then played the ace of spades, and then the ace of hearts, realizing I had to make one of my low hearts good. The jack fortunately fell, and the rest was easy.

"I went over to dummy with a spade, threw off two hearts on the two good spades, then came back with a heart finesse, and the balance of the tricks were conceded.

"I wish you could tell me how the hand should be bid. The double saved me and gave me the grand slam. Wing, my partner, redoubled from the strength of his spades and the diamond king."

The hand should be played at seven clubs, which is an iron-clad contract. All declarer needs do is trump a diamond and the dummy hand is established. This graphically explains the advantage of a four-trump holding.

The first bidding fault lies with North, who should have raised South's club bid instead of rebidding a four-card suit. South probably should have tried for a no trump rather than a heart contract when he received no assist from his partner. But all's well that ends well, and seven no trump redoubled and made, plus 150 honors, is not to be compared with the reward for playing seven clubs with 100 honors, however virtuous.

Today's Hand

North-South Vulnerable
WEST DEALER

Wing
♠ K Q J 2
♡ 7 6
◇ K 6 3
♣ 10 9 7 6

Daddano
♠ 9 6 5
♡ J
◇ Q 9 8 7 5 4
♣ 8 5 2

Mues
♠ 10 8 7 4
♡ Q 9 8 5 2
◇ J 10
♣ 4 3

Reynold
♠ A 3
♡ A K 10 4 3
◇ A 2
♣ A K Q J

The bidding:

West	North	East	South
Pass	Pass	Pass	2 ♡
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 NT.
Pass	5 ◇	Pass	7 ♡
Pass	Pass	Dbl.	7 NT.
Pass	Pass	Dbl.	Pass
Pass	Redbl.	Pass	Pass
Pass			

Opening lead: 7 ◇

Today's Radio Highlights

King George VI of England is heard in an address at the launching of Great Britain's newest battleship, "King George V." at Newcastle-on-Tyne, England—WOL, 10:25 a. m.

Dr. Carroll Lane Fenton explains the effect rivers and oceans have in constantly changing the interior and exterior surfaces of the earth, on the "Science, Everywhere" broadcast—WMAL, 2 p. m.

Benny Goodman's "Swing School"—with Johnny Mercer, Martha Tilton and a special "jam" session of the famous Goodman quartet —WJSV, 9:30 p. m.

Jean Hersholt's "Dr. Christian" show this evening features the screen star in an original radio drama entitled, "Washington Had His Delaware"—WJSV, 10 p. m.

Paulette Goddard is guest star on Bob Hope's program, with Patsy Kelly, Jerry Colonna, Bill Goodwin, Skinnay Ennis and his orchestra—WRC, 10 p. m.

Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt speaks as guest of honor at the American Youth Congress banquet in New York City, at which will be announced the details of the "Eleanor Roosevelt Fellowship" to be established by the A. Y. C.—WJSV, 10:45 p. m.

The Post Radio Time-Table

Tuesday, February 21 — Washington — Eastern Standard Time.

	WMAL 476M—630KC	WRC 316M—950KC	WOL 229M—1,230KC	WJSV 206M—1,460KC	
6:00		Gordon Hittenmark			6:00
6:15		" "			6:15
6:30	Today's Prelude	" "	Art Brown		6:30
6:45	" "	" "	" "		6:45
7:00	" "	" "	" "	Arthur Godfrey	7:00
7:15	" "	" "	" "	" "	7:15
7:30	Station PDS	" "	News	" "	7:30
7:45	Presents	" "	Art Brown	" "	7:45
8:00	" "	News	" "	News	8:00
8:15	" "	Gordon Hittenmark	" "	Arthur Godfrey	8:15
8:30	Earl Godwin	" "	News	Magic Carpet	8:30
8:45	The Clemens	" "	Art Brown	" "	8:45
9:00	Interlude	News	" "	Jean Abbey	9:00
9:15	Breakfast	Mary Mason	" "	Arthur Godfrey	9:15
9:30	Club	" "	Waltz Themes	Women, News	9:30
9:45	Gospel Singer	" "	Comm. Calendar	Bach. Children	9:45
10:00	Story of Month	Central City	Guide Posts	Kitty Kelly	10:00
10:15	Josh Higgins	John's Other Wife	Parkways	Myrt and Marge	10:15
10:30	Federation of	Just Plain Bill	King George VI	Hilltop House	10:30
10:45	Music Clubs	Woman in White	" "	Stepmother	10:45
11:00	Mary Marlin	David Harum	Freshwater's Bd.	Mary L. Taylor	11:00
11:15	Vic & Sade	Lorenzo Jones	Musical Potpourri	Baines	11:15
11:30	Paul Page	Widow Brown	Get Thin to Music	Big Sister	11:30
11:45	Popular Tunes	Tropical Moods	The Manhatters	Aunt Jenny	11:45

AFTERNOON PROGRAMS.

12:00	Campus Kids	News, Music	The Ross Trio	T. Town Tempo	12:00
12:15	News	The O'Neills	News	Nancy James	12:15
12:30	Natl. Farm and	The Carters	Luncheon Music	Helen Trent	12:30
12:45	Home Hour	Devotions	" "	Gal Sunday	12:45
1:00	" "	Alaho Land	Ch. of the Air	Goldbergs	1:00
1:15	Farm News	Encores	Cumin's Orch.	Life, Beautiful	1:15
1:30	Peables	Women's Clubs	Tony Wakeman	Road of Life	1:30
1:45	Vera Scott	Happy Gilmans	" "	This Day Is Ours	1:45
2:00	Science	Betty and Bob	" "	News	2:00
2:15	Everywhere	Grimm's Daughter	" "	"Life & Love"	2:15
2:30	Little Show,	Valiant Lady	" "	Amer. School	2:30
2:45	Variety	Hymns	" "	of the Air	2:45
3:00	Sagi Vela	Mary Marlin	News	Aladdin's Kitch.	3:00
3:15	U. S. Army	Ma Perkins	Tony Wakeman	" "	3:15
3:30	Band	Pepper Young	" "	Arch McDonald	3:30
3:45	Book Ends	Guiding Light	" "	" "	3:45
4:00	Club Matinee	Backstage Wife	" "	" "	4:00
4:15	" "	Stella Dallas	" "	" "	4:15
4:30	Tuna Types	Vic and Sade	" "	" "	4:30
4:45	News	Girl Alone	" "	" "	4:45
5:00	Ed. Assn. Conv.	Dick Tracy	Gunther Decker	Current Ques.	5:00
5:15	Terry & Pirates	Your Family, Mine	Jimmy Scribner	Arch McDonald	5:15
5:30	Don Winslow	Jack Armstrong	Cocktail Capers	Melody Madcaps	5:30
5:45	Tom Mix	Orphan Annie	" "	Mighty Show	5:45

EVENING PROGRAMS.

6:00	Causer's Orch.	News	Sports Resume	News	6:00
6:15	News	George	Airliners	Howie Wing	6:15
6:30	Intermezzo	Hall's	Walter Compton	Frontiers	6:30
6:45	Lowell Thomas	Orchestra	Variety Program	Barry Wood	6:45
7:00	Easy Aces	Amos 'n' Andy	Fulton Lewis, Jr.	Endless Music	7:00
7:15	Mr. Keen	Vocal Varieties	Rhumba Rhythms	Jimmy Fidler	7:15
7:30	Rep. Patman	Home Towners	Howard Theater	Helen Menken	7:30
7:45	Vivian Chilsa	(Mayer Lifetime Furniture)	" "	" "	7:45
8:00	Brotherhood	Green's	Green Hornet	Big Town	8:00
8:15	Week	Orchestra	" "	" "	8:15
8:30	Information	For Men Only	Morton Gould's	Al Jolson	8:30
8:45	Please	" "	Orchestra	" "	8:45
9:00	Mary and Bob's	Battle of	News	We the People	9:00
9:15	True Stories	the Sexes	Corcoran Cadets	" "	9:15
9:30	Doc Rockwell's	Fibber McGee	Benno Rabinoff	Goodman's	9:30
9:45	Brain Trust	" "	" "	Orchestra	9:45
10:00	If I Had	Bob Hope	Stamp Romances	Dr. Christian	10:00
10:15	the Chance	" "	Thinking It Over	" "	10:15
10:30	Biltmore Boys	Uncle Ezra	Agio Matterson's	Natl. Sym. Dr.	10:30
10:45	Rhythm School	The Old Timer	Orchestra	Mrs. Roosevelt	10:45
11:00	News	News, Sports	News	News	11:00
11:15	Music	Modern	William's Orch.	H. James Orch.	11:15
11:30	as You	Music	Chick Webb's	Glenn Gray's	11:30
11:45	Desire It	Maestros	Orchestra	Orchestra	11:45
12:00	Night Watchman	Jan Savitt's	Ben Bernie's	Sammy Kaye's	12:00
12:15	" "	Orchestra	Orchestra	Orchestra	12:15
12:30	(To 2 a. m.	Joe Venuti's	Dick Stable's	Dick Barrie's	12:30
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Ship Movements

At New York

Arrived Yesterday
American Banker, from London.

Arrive Today
Antonia, from Liverpool.
Ile de France, from Havre.
Uruguay, from Trinidad.

Arrive Tomorrow
No arrivals scheduled.

Sailing Today
Bonnestvet, for Lisbon.
Bergenafjord, for Bergen.
City of Baltimore, for Southampton.

Sailing Tomorrow
Hansa, for Cherbourg.

The Federal Diary

By Scott Hart

A million dollars is included in the budget estimate for providing an eight-hour day for the Veterans Administration, but it is not specifically ear-marked for this purpose in the bill. "We urge that the Senate take action to add another $1,000,000 to the appropriation to insure the establishment of an eight-hour day, as we feel that no employe, no matter how efficient, can render efficient and competent service on a 10 or 12-hour schedule"—from a letter Senators received yesterday from U. F. W. A. president, Jacob Baker.

THE University of Minnesota is offering in-service fellowships in public administration for young men and women who have had three years of Government service. This for the year 1939-40. The fellowships will carry stipends of from $1,000 to $1,500 for the year. The purpose: to help promising Government employes "to better equip themselves to fill positions involving administrative leadership and responsibility, and to encourage governmental bodies to give recognition to such persons in making promotions to administrative posts." Application blanks can be gotten from the university. These must be filed before April 1.

THOSE big bad but likeable boys, Jesse and Frank James, will be discussed by Harry B. Hawes, of Missouri, during an intermission of the dance to be given Saturday night at the Shoreham by the Missouri State Society . . . Joseph Howorth, of the WPA Professional Division, had added interest in the Mississippi dance here last week because the evening also was his eleventh edding anniversary. Incidentally, Mrs. Howorth, who is with the Veterans Administration, was formerly in the Mississippi State Legislature, as was her mother. It is the only instance in the country where both a mother and daughter have served in a legislature.

C. J. BUCK, regional forester in the North Pacific Region (States of Washington and Oregon) will come in the job of general inspector and special assistant to the chief.

Thumb-nail biography: He is a graduate of Williams College and the Yale School of Forestry; entered the Forest Service in 1905 as a student assistant in co-operative examination of eastern woodlands. Later on, he served as forest assistant on timber sales and general administrative work in National Forests of Wyoming and California. In 1910 he was promoted to the job of assistant regional forester in charge of regional lands and was made regional forester in 1930.

From the mail box:

"One of the most crying needs in Washington, to persons engaged in amateur theatricals, is a completely equipped theater devoted to the use of all amateur groups. This unfavorable condition can be remedied through the inclusion of a theater, completely equipped and with a substantial seating capacity, in the new public auditorium as proposed by a bill introduced by Senator Connally, of Texas. All amateur groups should express their desire that such a theater be built for the use of all. I have written to Senator Connally suggesting that such a theater be given consideration in his bill and have received a favorable reply. That this city needs a Federal employes' theater is beyond a doubt, and all groups interested in civic betterment should put their support behind this." Signed, Lee H. Shugar, General Accounting Office.

HISTORY'S famous women, Empress Eugenie, Mary Stuart, Catherine de Medici and her daughter, the influential women in the court of Louis XIV and others will be the basis of lectures on "Famous Women of History," to be given by Mlle. Mary Sabarth in the Agriculture Department graduate school on Wednesdays from 5 to 6 p. m. commencing March 1.

Mlle. Sabarth, reared in Alsace-Lorraine, as the daughter of a diplomat, early began the travels that have brought to her mastery of the languages and customs of many peoples. In her school days in England, she met descendants of the tragic Mary, Queen of Scots, and relatives of Byron, Shelley, Darwin and others. She spent many years in Constantinople, on the staff of Roberts College. From European studies and investigations into rare source materials, she has gathered the information for these lectures. Registrations are underway at the graduate school, Agriculture South Building.

Bob Burns Says—

Well, well—what won't these universities go in for next? Now Columbia University comes along with a course on "Fishin'." Guess they figgered they'd better teach the boys an' girls how to catch each other first!

Yes, sir—the announcement says that Columbia's goin' to show its students everything from baits, lures an' plugs to cookin' an' mountin' the catch. It's about time they commenced givin' instruction on fishin'. Even the fishes have schools. Columbia ain't come out with just who's goin' to be on the faculty yet—but the three most qualified men in America is former President Hoover, former runner-up Alf Landon, an' the incumbent, F. D. R. Boy, what them three men could teach you about fishin' in salt water an' fresh! They've caught everything from deep sea bass to voters. Of course, Alf, he didn't manage to hook the Presidency but then, every fisherman's line gits snagged once an' awhile. But jes' wouldn't I like to be in a fishin' boat with all three! Say, with their combined knowledge of the gentle art of anglin', I'd have to do some tall spittin' on my bait to even get a nibble!

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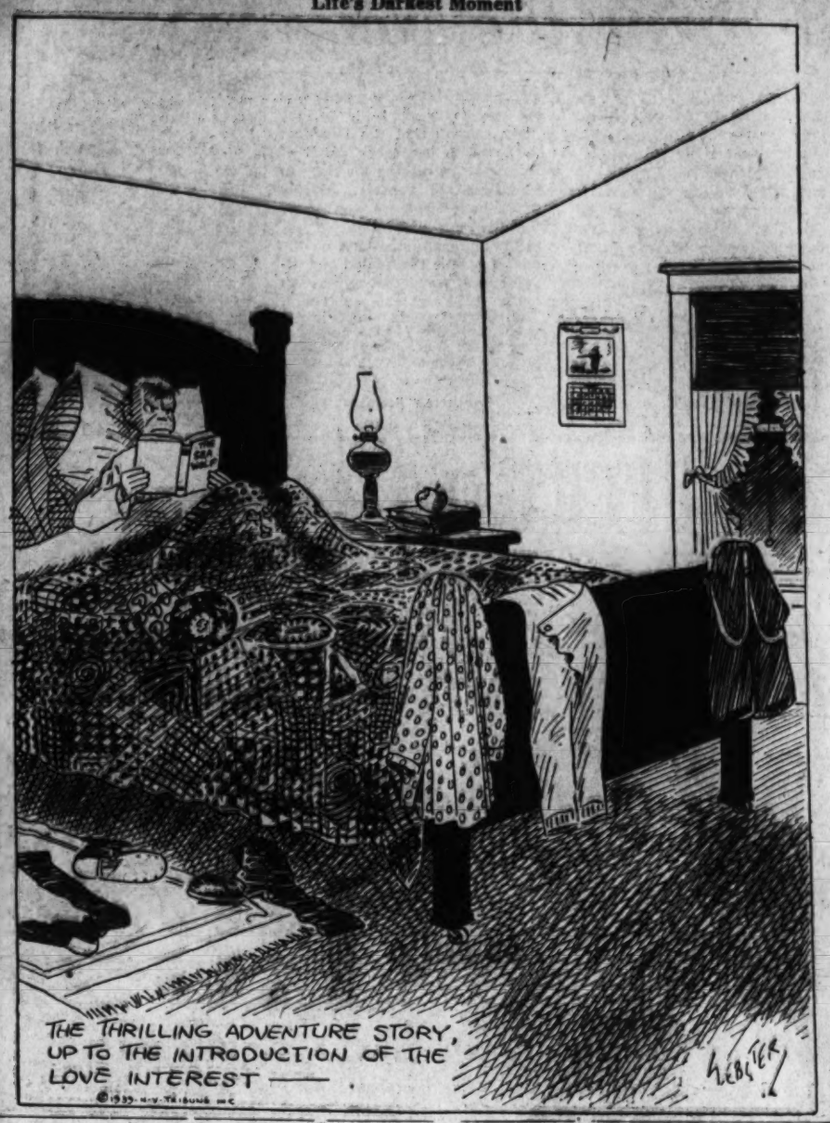
Life's Darkest Moment



TERRY AND THE PIRATES

Listen to Terry and the Pirates—5:15 P. M.—WMAL.

BY MILTON CANIFF

STOOP AND CONNIE ROUNDED UP THE NATIVE PLANTATION CREW! VERY DOCILE!
I CHECKED ON THE GOLD, PAT! PLENTY OF IT ON THAT SHIP!
WELL, RYAN... YOU SEEM TO BE IN COMMAND! WHAT NOW?
I'VE GOT A COUPLE OF PERSONAL SCORES TO SETTLE WITH YOU AND WEAZEL....MEANWHILE, WHERE ARE THOSE EX-WAR LORDS?
TH' LOAD WAS TOO MUCH COMIN' OVER THE MOUNTAINS—SO WE GAVE 'EM A LITTLE AIR!—BUT WHAT'S THAT T' YOU, PANTY—WAIST!
I'VE BEEN WAITIN' FOR A CRACK OUTA YOU!

BIG CHIEF WAHOO

BY SAUNDERS AND WOGGON

OF ALL THE ABSURD DILEMMAS, CHIEF! US, TWO CONFIRMED BACHELORS, STUCK WITH A FOUNDLING BABE ON OUR HANDS OVERNIGHT!
UGH! WE TAKE UM PAPOOSE TO OUR HOTEL TILL MORNIN'!
I CAN'T STAND THIS PANDEMONIUM! WE MUST FIND SOME WAY TO STILL HIS OUTCRIES!
OKAY! YOU SIT DOWN AN' JIGGLE UM!
WAA!
THIS KEEPS HIM QUIET ALL RIGHT—BUT WHAT ABOUT ME? I CAN'T DO THIS ALL NIGHT!
WAIT! WAHOO FIXUM UP!
THIS SETTLES IT! WE TURN THE CHILD OVER TO AN INSTITUTION FIRST. THING TOMORROW!!
SH-H-H!
AH! IF GUSTO BUT KNEW WHO THE INFANT IS, HE'D NEVER WAIT TILL DAWN TO GET RID OF HIM!

MICKEY FINN

They Get Their Man!

BY LANK LEONARD

THAT'S THE DOOR TO THE ROOM WHERE THEY ARE! YOU GO IN FIRST, COLLINS!
LET ME GO IN FIRST, TOM—IF YOU GOT SHOT YOUR WEDDIN' MIGHT HAFTA BE—
NO, NO, MICKEY! I'LL GO!
SSSH-SH—YOU'VE GOT YOUR ORDERS, COLLINS! OPEN THE DOOR!!
HERE HE IS, BOYS—THE BLUSHING BRIDEGROOM!
POOR TOM!
HE WAS SUCH A SWELL GUY TOO!
OUR SINCERE SYMPATHY OLD PAL!
YOU CAN'T SAY WE DIDN'T WARN YOU!

DIXIE DUGAN

A Lesson

J. P. McEVOY AND H. J. STRIBEL

MICKEY TRIED TO WIN DENNY'S HEART THROUGH HIS STOMACH, BUT BURNED THE WHOLE MEAL! NOW DENNY TAKES OVER—
A STEAK SHOULD BE SEARED ON BOTH SIDES BEFORE BROILING TO KEEP IN THE JUICE—YOU BURNED YOUR STEAK BY HAVING IT TOO CLOSE TO THE FLAME WHILE BROILING.
NOW THE CORRECT WAY TO MAKE FRENCH FRIED POTATOES IS TO LET THE RAW, SLICED POTATOES SOAK IN COLD SALT WATER FOR AT LEAST A HALF HOUR.
THE POTATOES ARE DROPPED INTO THE BOILING GREASE ABOUT TH' SAME TIME YOU PUT YOUR STEAK ON TO BROIL!—THIS TAKES ABOUT 19 TO 20 MINUTES—
—AND SPINACH! IT SHOULD BE PUT IN A PAN OVER A SLOW FIRE. THE WATER ALREADY IN THE SPINACH MELTS IT DOWN. ADD A BIT OF SALT AND ONION TO GIVE IT FLAVOR.
THIS TIME I DO GIVE UP!
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DONALD DUCK

Bull's Eye!

BY WALT DISNEY

DON WINSLOW OF THE NAVY

Listen to Don Winslow on the air today—WMAL—5:30 P. M.

BY FRANK MARTINEK

YES, BUZZ, WINSLOW AND I PERFORMED SOME GREAT ATHLETIC FEATS IN THIS GYM... MY OLD SHOT-PUT RECORD OF FORTY-ONE FEET PROBABLY STANDS TO THIS DAY..
WELL! WELL! THEY'RE PRACTICING MY OLD SPECIALTY RIGHT NOW... LET'S WATCH...
HM--FAIRLY GOOD, THORNDYKE...FORTY-THREE FEET SEVEN INCHES...
HARRUMPH! WE'RE WASTING TIME HERE, BUZZ... COME ON, I'LL SHOW YOU A PICTURE OF OUR OLD CHAMPIONSHIP FOOTBALL TEAM...

NED BRANDT—A Story of College Athletics

BY BOB ZUPPKE

IS GAIL FALLING FOR IT, DOC?
HEAVILY, SHEKELS—SHE BELIEVES NED'S DELIRIOUS WITH CORPUS CLUCAS
WHO ARE YOU? WHAT ARE YOU DOING IN MY HOSPITAL ROOM?
ITS GAIL, NED—DON'T YOU KNOW ME? ITS GAIL!
GET OUT OF HERE! DO YOU HEAR ME? ITS GAIL I WANT—GO!
NED, THIS IS GAIL, THE GIRL WHO LOVES YOU, NED!
SAY THAT AGAIN!
NED!

APPLE MARY AND DENNIE

BY MARTHA ORR

THE LUMBER YARD IS GONE. NOTHING CAN SAVE IT
KID, SNARL DID THIS... THE EVIDENCE AGAINST HIM IS IN THAT OFFICE
I'M GOIN' IN!
NO BILL, YOU CAN'T DO IT!
BILL!

Grin and Bear It

By Lichty

"Another feature you might like is the paper-thin walls—and the folks next door argue all the time!"

Bedtime Story

By Thornton W. Burgess.

Hooty Sulks

The sulky should their manners mend,
For sulking loses in the end.
—Old Mother Nature.

Hooty the Owl was sulking. Yes, sir, that is just what he was doing. Sulking is a most unpleasant habit. No one likes sulky people. No one wants to have anything to do with them. Sulking seldom gains anything but a lot of dislike; it doesn't pay.

Hooty and Mrs. Hooty had been all through the Green Forest hunting for a nest, any nest big enough for them to make use of, for housekeeping. Not a single nest could they find. There never had been many nests big enough, and now these few were gone. The trees in which they had been had been broken off or blown down by the hurricane that had swept through the Green Forest in the fall. Hooty was for going to the Great Mountain. He was sure they would be able to find a nest there. Mrs. Hooty flatly refused to go. She declared that they would stay in the Green Forest even if they had to build a nest themselves. It was then that Hooty began to sulk.

He said that he would have nothing to do with building a nest. "You may stay here if you want to, but I'm going to the Great Mountain," he declared.

Mrs. Hooty was unmoved. She just didn't pay any attention to him. She went about trying to find a satisfactory place to build a nest. Hooty didn't go away. He followed Mrs. Hooty around and sat about while she inspected trees and considered locations. He moped and sulked and complained.

"What do we know about building nests?" he demanded.

"You may not know much, but I have fixed over enough nests to know how to build one if I must," retorted Mrs. Hooty.

"Building a whole nest is too much work. I'm not used to it and I don't intend to do it," declared Hooty.

To this Mrs. Hooty made no reply. She was considerably bigger than Hooty. She was heavier and her wings were bigger. In fact she was enough bigger to insist on having her own way in most matters and in getting it, Hooty knew it. Perhaps that is one reason why he sulked.

At last Mrs. Hooty decided on a certain tree. It was a big tree, a tall tree, and high up in it was a splendid crotch for holding a nest. "Here is where we will build," said she.

"Not I," replied Hooty, snapping his bill angrily.

Mrs. Hooty took no notice. "We will begin work at once," said she.

"Not I," snapped Hooty.

"We will need some fairly sizable sticks to begin with," Mrs. Hooty continued.

"Not I," repeated Hooty sulkily.

"And then we will use smaller ones," Mrs. Hooty went on just as if Hooty hadn't spoken. She flew off and began to search the ground. Hooty sat about and watched her. When she found a stick to suit her, she picked it up and flew back to the chosen tree. There she fussed for some time getting it placed just to satisfy her. Hooty sat with his back to her. He pretended to take no interest in what she was doing. Mrs. Hooty brought another stick. She took no notice whatever of Hooty. She ignored him. He continued to sulk. She brought several sticks and placed them for the foundation of the nest. She was a little fussy in regard to how they were placed. She had had little experience in this kind of work.

Hooty sat not far away pretending to doze. Suddenly Mrs. Hooty was beside him. She was snapping her bill. It was a most unpleasant sound.

"Get busy!" she hissed, and her hiss was as unpleasant as the snapping of her bill. "Get busy and find sticks, she commanded, and snapped her bill again.

"Yes'm," replied Hooty meekly, and flew in search of a stick. His sulking ended then and there. When Mrs. Hooty snapped her bill and hissed like that she was to be obeyed. He knew from experience."

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Daily Cross Word Puzzle

ACROSS.

1 Beaten
6 Singing voice
10 A cur
14 Harangue
15 Air
16 Wild Ox
17 Composes
18 Ecclesiastical livings
20 Anger
21 Reason
23 Dodge
24 Spongers
26 One who hauls supplies
28 Performs
30 Mediocre
33 Paid out
36 The unaccented part of a foot
38 Anglo-Saxon money of account
39 Flora: collog.
40 Foolish fellow
41 Embraces
43 Knack
43 Purloin
44 To besiege
45 Scold
47 Crowbar
49 Bitter
51 Low and preaming
55 A spear
57 Think
58 Female kangaroo
60 Honors
62 Genus of plants
64 Crude metals
65 Judge
66 Loafer
67 Cosy retreat
68 Vipers
69 Smallest

DOWN.

1 Humorous
2 Palm cockatoo
3 Unadorned
4 Summer: French
5 Slope
6 An ambush
7 Untruths
8 Doctrine
9 A pronoun
10 Disappointed
11 Indifferent
12 Female student
13 Comfort
19 Festivals
22 Macaw
25 A clan
27 Neglect
29 An examination
31 Drive
32 Pole
33 Pierce
34 Peal
35 Charms
37 Minor blunders in speech
40 Roman road
41 Flock
43 Harden
44 Bewitch
46 Address
48 Conveyance
50 Pheasant
52 Inmates
53 Platitudes
54 Center
56 Town in France
58 Land measure
59 Pink
61 Feminine name
63 Small fish

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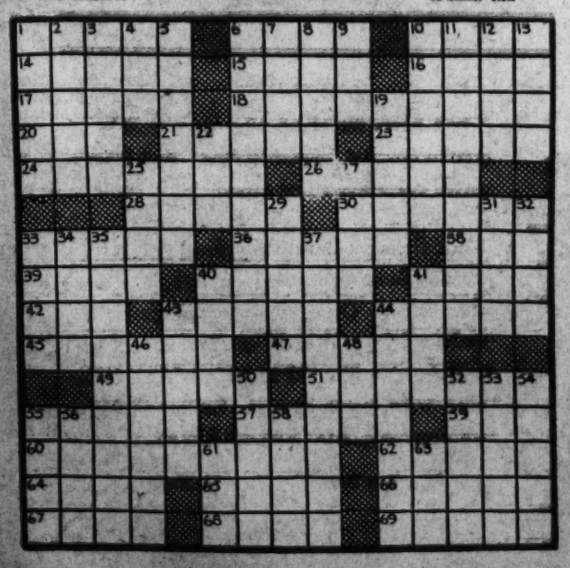

Vatican Reporter Tells of Men Who Make and Print the News

Describes Princes of Church As Seen by the Correspondent

Jockeying for Split-Second Advantage In Putting Stories About Pope on Wire Grows More Intense Every Year

By Thomas B. Morgan

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What the Sovereign Pontiff does, what he says and what happens in the Papal Court make news. Spiritual subjects of five continents watch for the date-line "Vatican City;" the words and acts of the Holy Father move millions to reverent attention world-wide in extent. He speaks; there is a hush. Something dramatic touching his person or his acts takes the first place on the front page.

The presence of the Holy See in Rome makes the post of Rome correspondent important. Only some stupendous earthquake, a volcanic eruption or calamitous upheaval either in government or in war can rank in news magnitude with the comings and goings of the Popes.

On sensational events in which the Pontifex Maximus is the chief figure, Rome correspondents flash a two-word or three-word message giving the kernel of the news just to get it home first. A short message travels faster. They follow it with a bulletin of from 15 or 25 words inscrting essential facts to complete the story. Finally, they send the "new lead," which is a full rounded-out description of the event.

Pronouncements on the customs and problems of the day, such as questionable movies, inordinate sex practices, the relations of capital and labor, the unity of the Church or the persecutions and the quarrels in countries like Russia, Mexico and Germany make page one. These pronouncements may run from 5,000 to 60,000 words and some newspapers like to have them in full. On January 1, 1931, the New York Times published textually the lengthy encyclical Casti Connubi dealing with the bonds and responsibility of matrimony and the evils in loose sex life. Many other long messages have also been published verbatim.

1929's Biggest Story

The biggest news story during the reign of Pius XI was the solution of the Roman Question. In fact, Mr. Kent Cooper, general manager of the Associated Press, declared it to be the world's biggest story of 1929.

But along with these occurrences of general world interest comes a specialized type of news which though not compelling to all newspapers takes possession of the front pages of local newspapers. Especially does this happen when the Pope chooses a new bishop. It is sensational in the home town—in Cleveland, San Francisco, New Orleans, Wheeling, Portland or any episcopal or archiepiscopal see.

The appointment of a bishop is a complicated procedure. Although the Holy See keeps the preparations for the choice as secret as possible, a name occasionally leaks out. The proceedings begin in the United States where the Apostolic Delegate in Washington is constantly on the alert for worthy priests who demonstrate ability to administer a see.

When a vacancy occurs, the Apostolic Delegate studies the lists of all the American bishops. He chooses three names from this well-prepared list and sends them to the Consistorial Congregation in Rome over which the Pontiff presides. Before the Holy Father decides on the choice, further investigation and examination take place, conducted under the direction of the secretary of the congregation, who can, if necessary, always ask for more names and more information.

The prelate chosen is not yet a bishop, nor even a bishop-elect, though he be at the moment the choice of the Pope. To insure that no mistake will be made, the appointment is referred to the appointee in order to allow him to judge his own fitness and to prevent what might seem a disinclination to obey the call which would be possible if refusal followed appointment.

Must Keep the Secret

It often happens that a prelate does not wish to be promoted. A most noteworthy mishap in recent years was the elevation of Mgr. Chartrand, Bishop of Indianapolis, to the archiepiscopal see of Cincinnati. He at first accepted the higher post and was officially appointed. His friends in the diocese, however, implored him to remain in Indianapolis. Yielding to their appeal, he tendered his resignation even before he had occupied the archiepiscopal throne. The Holy See accepted the resignation and immediately appointed Mgr. MacNicholas, who previously was Bishop of Duluth.

A strange anomaly surrounds elevation to the episcopate in the United States. An appointee, after having accepted the charge and received confirmation of it, cannot call himself a bishop or even a bishop-elect. He must keep the pontifical secret. Mgr. Kelley, Bishop of Oklahoma, recounted to me that the American hierarchy in agreement with the apostolic delegation in Washington had created a custom, an unwritten law, that no appointee should admit his elevation until it appeared in the newspapers.

Announcement in Rome, too, must proceed according to established formality. When the appointment is finally confirmed by acceptance on the part of the appointee and final approval by the Pope, the name is filed away in the archives for three days as an extra precaution against error or change. At the expiration of the three days, monsignor-officials of the Sacred Consistorial Congregation issue a bulletin on a regularly prescribed form. This bulletin is placed in a sealed envelope and sent by a secret messenger from the Cancelleria Palace, where the congregation has its headquarters, to the office of the Osservatore Romano. It must be delivered to Count della Torre, the editor, who alone has authority to open it.

Test of Efficiency

The correspondents for the press agencies are the first interested when the appointments are announced. Each must get the name of the new bishop as soon as the bulletin is extracted from the envelope. Some of them keep men in the Osservatore Romano office to watch for the arrival of the formidable envelope. Others depend on the usual Vatican informants who get an immediate tip of the appointment. There is not a second to be lost.

Whichever story arrives in the newspaper offices first takes the play in the local paper for which the credit line—by A. P., by U. P., or by I. N. S.—is the reward. It is the test of the efficiency of the agency.

During my 18 years as Rome correspondent I cannot recall one instance of being beaten on the appointment of a bishop or archbishop. Knowledge of the mechanics of the selection and final approval of the candidate permitted me to be ahead by an hour or even two hours on many occasions.

But while the announcement of the election of a bishop or the chronicling of a bishop's stay in Rome are handled in their own special way, the general run of Vatican news is gathered through the office of the substitute secretary of state.

The substitute secretary of state is received in audience by the Holy Father on alternate days. He has a conference with the cardinal-secretary of state every day. Since it is his responsibility to have contact with the press, he naturally inquires for information which will be useful to him in explaining the run of the day's events.

The Vatican Informant

There is seldom if ever an American correspondent present. At that moment the American newsman is sitting at his desk ready for a telephone call. Representing him at the press conference is his Vatican informant. When the substitute secretary of state makes a news announcement the informant jumps to the telephone and flashes the item to the waiting staff man.

The position of Vatican informant is now a well-established institution. It was brought to its present important role through the intelligence and journalistic skill of Mgr. Enrico Pucci, who enjoys the rank of domestic prelate to the Pope. This learned priest, who holds the degree of doctor of philosophy, was formerly a pastor of a parish. With the publication of a Catholic daily in Rome soon after the war, Mgr. Pucci was chosen as one of the editors.

It was his column which daily recounted the happenings and pronouncements of the Holy See. Mgr. Pucci first extended his efforts and his reputation by being chosen as the staff correspondent in Rome for the newspapers of the National Catholic Welfare Conference, which has its headquarters in Washington. While I was staff man for the Associated Press, we engaged him to specialize in American news. That was in 1920.

In 1924, he assumed the Vatican coverage for the Chicago Daily News. That same year, I became manager of the Rome office of the United Press and asked Mgr. Pucci to cover the Vatican routine for me. Later, he added the New York Herald Tribune, the New York Times, the Chicago Tribune, the London Times and the Hearst services. Besides, he was informant for Reuter's, Havas, the Polish Telegraphic Agency, Spanish, French and South American news organs. He had created out of his Vatican coverage a personal press agency.

Due to the contacts and background in Vatican and ecclesiastical matters, he naturally was able to produce the best service of its kind coming out of Vatican City.

Of Men as Princes

Contact with the American bishops and archbishops favored me with the companionship of many sterling men in the American hierarchy.

Cardinal O'Connell was first amongst them. He possesses great dynamic strength and profound intellectual power. Harvard University chose well to honor him with the doctorate of laws. Prince of the Church embodies princeliness in great human and intellectual attributes. He is such a prince; his charm of manner dominates and captivates men.

Cardinal Dougherty could rightfully add the motto of "Fidei Defensor" to his coat of arms. When the spiritual welfare of the souls of his extensive archdiocese is in the balance, he springs to action whether it be threatened by movies, by modern customs or by political creeds.

Cardinal Mundelein, like and unlike his three high-ranking colleagues, has a more varied personality. His learning is profound and he possesses an uncommon talent in administration. He can crack a joke and often departs from the serious to subjects of light vein. He knows how to distinguish between the essential and nonessential. He will not usurp another's authority neither will he permit encroachments upon the rights of the Church.

One of the great veterans is Archbishop Glennon, of St. Louis. Tall, imposing, he was elected a bishop when he was but 33 and promoted to the archiepiscopal throne at 40. Now 75, he would have been the highest ranking prelate in the United States had he attained cardinalatial rank.

Mgr. Mooney, the first archbishop of the newly created archdiocese of Detroit, has had one of the most interesting careers amongst American churchmen. I knew him first as the spiritual adviser at the American College in Rome. He was appointed Apostolic Delegate to the East Indies and then was promoted to Japan. Returning to the United States to occupy the see of Rochester, he was finally called to his present see to direct America's newest archdiocese. A charming conversationalist, deeply cultured, he takes the measure of his listeners, offers them much, expects little.

U. S. Newsmen in Rome

Known for his ardent espousal of every cause for the public good, Archbishop MacNicholas, of Cincinnati, knows how to pass to the offensive when he has entered a battle.

Known throughout the United States and especially in the West was Archbishop Hanna, formerly of San Francisco but now residing in Rome. Of wide interests in the scientific as well as the theological world, he achieved a lofty position of American and churchman.

Archbishop Rummel, of New Orleans, direct and decisive, orator and scholar, has won both in the West and the South. He had made a success of his administration of the diocese of Omaha and of all the aspirants for the vacant archiepiscopal see of New Orleans he obtained the call.

As Rome correspondent, I saw a number of news writers pass through their careers and on to fame. When I arrived in 1919, there were but two Americans: Henry Wood, then manager of the United Press, and Edgar Ansell Mowrer, who represented the Chicago Daily News. Mowrer became a celebrity by defying the Nazis in Berlin. I first was assigned as assistant to Salvatore Cortesi, who, a veteran even then, had served the Associated Press for at least 20 years.

He had a brilliant career and was distinguished for a phenomenal scoop on the death of Leo XII and on the nomination of Cardinals Farley and O'Connell in 1911. His daughter, Betta, represented the New York Times. On the occasion of her marriage in 1922, the Times appointed her brother, Arnaldo Cortesi, to the post, which he still holds.

I left the Associated Press in 1924 to assume the managership of the United Press, which then had been suffering atrocious beatings at the hands of Cortesi and myself. There was the 48-hour beat of the appointment of Cardinals Hayes and Mundelein and the death of Pope Benedict XV, which had fallen to my lot to engineer since Signor Cortesi was in South America for the first and was in Washington at the Limitation of Arms Conference for the second. It was then destiny that the pupils should become the competitor of the master.

And Newsmen's Wives

The Hearst services were at first represented by Edward J. Strutt, son of a British consul and born in Rome. A profound Latin scholar and somewhat of a poet, he was not breezy enough for the nip-and-tuck of an American agency. In 1922 he was succeeded by Guglielmo Emanuele, a clever Italian newspaperman who was at that moment head of the important Rome bureau of the Corriere della Sera, of Milan. When Hearst organized his Universal Service, which was designed to serve his morning newspapers, he sent as his first correspondent John Burke, a newspaperman of lengthy experience in the United States. He was promoted to an editorship and was replaced by Harold Horan, who later made a name for himself by uncovering the secret Franco-British agreement of 1927. Horan was succeeded by Prince Pignatelli, who left the profession to become a novelist. Then came Kenneth Clark, Seymour Berkson, W. W. Chaplin and now Frank Gervasi.

For the New York Herald-Tribune was Mrs. Agnes Mackenzie, formerly Agnes Walsh, of Philadelphia. In 1925 this newspaper sent over Fred Hollowell, who, after acquitting himself well, returned to the United States to accept a political appointment. Ralph Barnes came next and never missed a story. He was followed by Joseph B. Philips, who, after more than holding his own, was transferred to Moscow and now has returned to the United States. His wife, Martha, a newswoman, petite, pretty and talented, worked as a free-lancer and now writes as Martha Dalrimple on Fortune. Philips was succeeded by John T. Whitaker, who is at present holding the post.

The Chicago Daily News, after transferring Mowrer first to Berlin and then much later to Paris, appointed Hiram K. Motherwell as correspondent. He was followed by John Gunther, author of Inside Europe. After Gunther came Carroll Binder, now the foreign editor. Wallace Duell succeeded him, and after a short stay was transferred to Berlin. Reginald Sweetland was then appointed to the post.

The Chicago Tribune sent its first staff correspondent in George Seldes, now a famed author. This was in 1925. Irking the government with his dispatches, he was expelled, and was replaced by John Clayton, who later entered publicity work. Larry Rue, Jay Allen, Vincent Shean, Floyd Gibbons, all had Rome assignments for the Chicago Tribune. Finally came David Darrah. He, too, vexed Italian authority and was expelled. The Tribune pouted and since that time has refused to send another man to Rome.

The Life Gets Tougher

During the pontiff's illness at the end of 1936, there were few restful nights for the American newsmen in Rome. The coverage of each successive Pope becomes more and more complicated and accelerated.

Before the construction of the direct cable from Rome to New York, all messages passed through London and usually took from three to four hours even at urgent rates. The direct line Rome-New York cut that to about an hour and then to a half hour. Presently the urgent messages, which cost three times the tariff of ordinary dispatches, will usually be transmitted to New York in two or three minutes.

Besides, the telephone from Rome to London has speeded up the Rome news service considerably. A message can be put through to London by phone in about ten minutes and during any impending event the correspondents seek to be in constant touch with London, holding the line open so as not to lose a second on the big break.

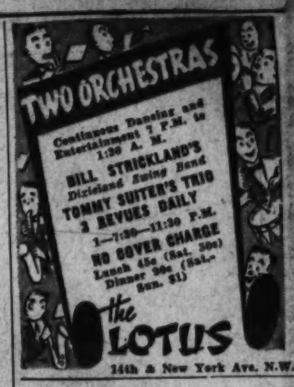
When Pius XI was stricken in 1936, each Rome correspondent strained every nerve to get the daily condition of the Pope out first and to use every detail of this news for making the story as sensational as possible. During that illness, too, there was danger that the Pope might die.

News preparations took on the most fantastic mechanics. Cardinal Pacelli prohibited any access to the Pope's private apartment. The newsmen were forced to depend generally on the information which Mgr. Pucci was able to glean at the daily conference of Mgr. Tardini.

Continued Tomorrow

College Lecturer

COL. LEROY HODGES, Virginia State comptroller, will lecture on "Economic and Social Trends in Virginia" at the College of William and Mary Thursday afternoon at the first meeting of the seminar of contemporary economic, political and social developments, conducted by the Marshall-Wythe School of Government and Citizenship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